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VILLA DEFIES HUERTISTAS

Son Murders Millionaire

AGED FATHER SLAIN IN HOME

Demented Offspring Fires 7 Shots Into Parent's Body

Gives No Reason for the Slaying; Had Been Acting Strangely

NEW YORK, May 5.—Hiram Duray, 81, retired millionaire starch manufacturer and civil war veteran, was murdered here early today at his home in the Bay Ridge section of Brooklyn by his son, Chester Duray. Seven shots were fired by the son into his father's body, causing instant death.

The murder occurred on the porch at the rear of the Duray home, where both father and son were in the habit of sleeping. About 1 o'clock this morning Chester, who is 43 years old, slipped from his cot into the house, where he kept a number of rifles, revolvers and shotguns for hunting purposes. He selected an automatic pistol and a magazine rifle, both of which he loaded and returned to the open air porch. Standing within a few feet of his sleeping father he first fired from the rifle and then emptied the revolver.

GIVES NO REASON.

Chester Duray would give no reason for killing his father when taken into custody. For the past few days, servants told the police, he had been acting strangely and they had feared a return of a previous breakdown. In 1909, when he showed signs of mental trouble, his father sought to have him removed to Bellevue hospital for observation, but as he was not violent this request was refused.

At the outbreak of the civil war Hiram Duray organized the Duray zouaves and became its colonel. He served throughout the war, retiring at its close with the rank of brigadier general.

HAD DOMESTIC TROUBLE.

Chester Duray was admitted to practice law and had intended to take up the legal business of the starch company, of which his father was the head. Domestic troubles that culminated in his being divorced by his wife in 1903 discouraged him in this ambition, friends explained.

For some time Chester Duray has spent much time at home and after the shooting it was found that he had been engaged in writing a pile of manuscripts, the result of his work, being taken by the police for examination for a possible reason for his act.

Although servants said that there had been no quarrel between General Duray and his son, it was not clear whether the shooting was the result of a quarrel or of a mental breakdown.

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Have You an Idea For New City Seal?

A contest will soon be held by the city of Oakland to select a new seal for the city. This was announced by Mayor Mott today. The details will be worked out in the near future. "Our old seal is ugly and out of date," declared the mayor, "and I would like to see a new one adopted as soon as possible."

"Yes," said Bacon, "we have been talking about it for five years. It is about time we did something."

A committee will be appointed to handle the contest.

Three Killed, 36 Hurt When Street Cars Collide

DETROIT, May 5.—Three persons were killed and 36 others seriously injured, when two crowded street cars met head-on here today. Both motorcars were killed.

GARDEN CITY ARMY SWELLS THOUSAND RECRUITS DAILY

Schools Organize New Regiments of Planters' Brigade

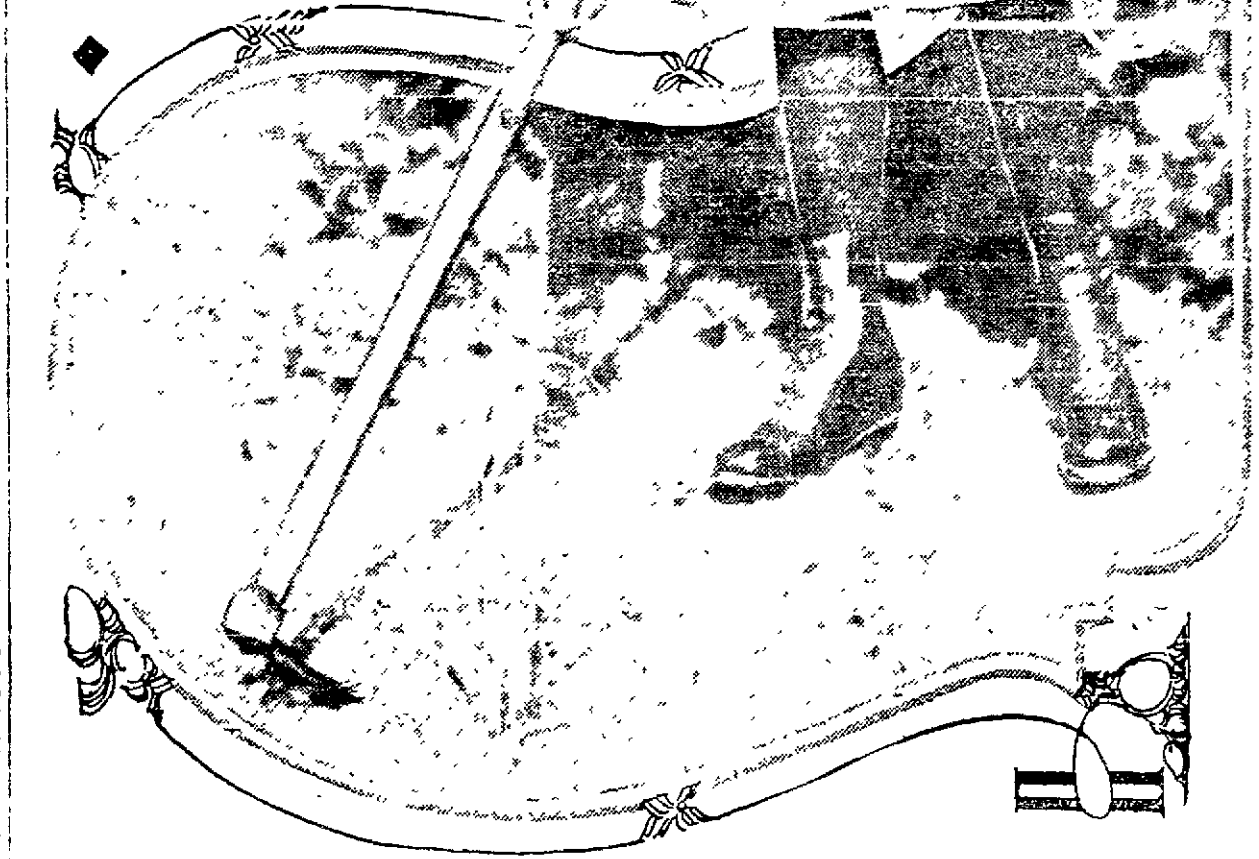
Olive Branch Is Made Insignia of Conquering Force

The school children of Oakland are organizing as Garden Soldiers at the rate of more than 1000 a day, according to Frank Pellet, their recruiting officer, acting under direction of a general committee formed of representatives of various civic organizations of which Miss Bessie Wood is chairman.

"The enthusiastic way in which the children are taking hold is assurance that they will lead the way in beautification of the city for 1915," said Pellet today.

The girls and boys of each class have a captain and under officers. Their first work is beautification of the ground around their homes. The rallying cry of the Garden Soldiers is "We Conquer the Earth." Their symbol is the olive branch and their forward call is "Oakland Beautiful, 1915."

Hortense K. Ormsby, aged six years, is a busy worker in the ranks of the garden soldiers, enlisting when the first call to arms was sounded.



HORTENSE KATHRYN ORMSBY, OAKLAND GIRL PIONEER IN RANKS OF THE GARDEN SOLDIERS.

J. BULL TO EXHIBIT BANG! ADJOURNED! IS TULLY TO WED?

Great Britain to Reconsider Decision Not to Participate.

LONDON, May 5.—The British government will reconsider its decision not to participate in the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco and it probably will decide that Great Britain shall officially be represented at the fair in a distinctly modified form.

Premier Asquith received a deputation from the House of Commons today representing more than half the membership, and promised to submit their views to the cabinet.

The suggestion of the deputation was that the British government erect a special government pavilion which would serve as a rallying point for British subjects from all parts of the empire. Mr. Asquith intimated this proposal, which would be in the nature of a complimentary acceptance of the invitation to participate without committing the government to much expenditure would command itself to the cabinet ministers.

Woman Secretary Strikes the Gavel Too Soon for Improvement Member.

While a sister smiled in his face, before the walls of Troy, quarrels arose among the other leaders of the Hellenes, that caused disaster to the ranks. Thus do questions of precedence and authority ever bring discord in their wake. Although Warren A. Lester and Felix Kuchinski, president and vice-president of the South Melrose Improvement Club, were not sitting in disgruntled silence in their sanctums last evening but were busy in the conduct of their private affairs, their absence from the meeting train that threatens disruption to that body. And all because Mrs. A. Christensen, secretary of the club, presented the remark of Charles A. Calhoun to the effect that she had no authority to adjourn the meeting.

A goodly number of the members of the club assembled at the meeting, which was called to order by Mrs. Christensen, as (Continued on Page 3, Col. 2)

Playwright and Mrs. McClaughry Are Reported Engaged.

To avoid waiting with one eye on the divorce court in Oakland and the other on the same tribunal in Los Angeles, for the final decrees that will free Richard Walton Tully, playwright, and Mrs. Hull McClaughry, formerly Anita Baldwin? This is the question that friends of the couple are asking, following rumors of a romance, which have travelled from New York. The report of the engagement was made public in New York yesterday. Mrs. McClaughry is composing music for an operatic form of the play.

Mrs. McClaughry was divorced from Hull McClaughry in Oakland on July 19, 1913. Three months remains before she can get a final decree. Tully must wait almost a year for his, the suit filed to separate him from Eleanor Gates Tully, also a playwright, having been in court a few weeks only. Tully and Miss Gates were married (Continued on Page 3, Col. 4)

ROB HOUSE AND SET FIRE

Incendiary Thieves Are Responsible for Berkeley Crime

Home Is Looted of Valuable and Mysterious Flames Break Out

BERKELEY, May 5.—Mysterious flames broke out in the residence of H. E. Bennett of 1040 Sierra street, Thousand Oaks, last night and after they had been extinguished it was found that the residence had been robbed before the fire and jewelry stolen worth several thousand dollars. Additional mystery concerning the fire is lent by the fact that Saturday night there was also a blaze in the residence, which was extinguished before serious damage was done.

Bennett is tract manager at Thousand Oaks for the George F. Friend Company. With his family he was away from home last evening. A girl in a neighbor's house saw the fire and alarmed her parents, who, after some difficulty, succeeded in informing the Berkeley fire department. The difficulty was due to the fact that the telephones in the Bennett and surrounding residences were out of order, a fact which is being investigated this morning in connection with other phases of the fire.

FIND HOME ROBBED.

Although the blaze was outside of Berkeley the Berkeley department responded to the alarm with companies 4 and 2 and succeeded in holding the damage down to \$1000 despite the fact that the fire was well under headway when they arrived. It was at the conclusion of their efforts that the Bennett returned home and discovered that their residence had been ransacked, apparently by burglars.

Work on City Hall Delayed by Strike

The city hall, to be dedicated on July 4, will not be finished at that time, as was expected, and will probably not be finished until several weeks later. Commissioner Harry S. Anderson announced this morning. The big painters' strike, which has assumed almost national proportions, is the cause of the delay. All mill work for the interior finishing of the building is ready, but this cannot be put into place until "back painted."

"We could rush matters by violating our contract with D. Zellinsky," said Anderson. "He has, however, completed so much work that this would lose us money, and at any rate, he can't do the work after the strike is settled. It is not the fault of the city or of the contractor. The strike is beyond settlement by any individual, having been called against the entire organization of master painters. The contractor would settle matters if he could and therefore out of justice to him we cannot throw him down."

The strike will, the city officials have been led to believe, be settled within a few weeks.

Recognizes in Barber Man Who Saved Life

Saved fourteen years ago in the Philippines from the curved blade of a bolo by the prompt action of a comrade, G. B. Hallway, a commission merchant of St. Louis, recognized this morning in the wielder of a sharp and glittering blade the man to whom he owed his life. The scene was the tenebrous room of the Hotel Oakland and the barber Jack Porter of 2044 Broadway. The two men had not seen each other since they left the army shortly after the campaign in which Hallway was nearly killed. Hallway was being shaved and as Porter worked over the customer's face faint stirrings of memory made him ask abruptly: "Have I not met you somewhere?" Hallway gazed upward and as he looked recognition dawned in both faces. Shaving operations were interrupted for a time while cordial greetings were exchanged.

SPURNS ALLIANCE WITH FEDERALS FOR AVENGING AMERICAN OCCUPATION

Declares Dictator's Supporters Provoked Intervention for Their Own Ends; Mediators Meet Obstacles

TORREON, Mex., May 4 (via El Paso, Tex., May 5).—The answer of General Francisco Villa to a request from Federal General Maas, in command at Saltillo, that Villa join the Federals in avenging the American occupation of Vera Cruz, was delivered to the Federal messengers today.

General Villa refused absolutely to ally himself or his men with the Federals and declared that the Huertistas had provoked foreign intervention for their own ends.

General Maas' letter to Villa announced that in addition to occupying Vera Cruz, the port of Salina Cruz had been seized by the United States forces April 23.

ADAMS LOSES SUIT

Fails to Obtain \$112,982 Claimed by Samuel Prather.

Judge Cret of the superior court of San Francisco yesterday rendered a decision in a suit brought by Edison F. Adams, as executor of the estate of Thomas Prather, against the Merced Stone Company, to recover \$112,982 and costs.

The court by this decision holds that Adams as such executor, is not entitled to anything whatever, and by its decision declares that there was no merit in the contentions of Adams.

Adams sought by the suit to recover this sum of money for his two daughters, Samuel Prather, on the other hand, claimed the \$112,982 as a gift from his brother, Thomas Prather, made shortly before the death of the latter. The court holds the gift to Samuel Prather to be in all respects valid, and accordingly rendered judgment sustaining his contentions.

Samuel Prather and the Merced Stone Company were represented in the suit by William S. Wells Jr. and N. C. Caldwell. Adams was represented by Orin C. Selby, Snook & Church, Milton S. Hamilton, and a press agent.

Notwithstanding that the children of Edison F. Adams will receive under the will of Thomas Prather more than \$500,000, in addition to what he had given his brother, Samuel Prather, Adams is now prosecuting a suit in this county against Samuel Prather to recover the old Prather homestead, situated at Tenth and Filbert streets, Oakland. Thomas Prather and Samuel Prather acquired this property by their hard earnings about the time they attained their majority, and made a gift of it to their mother, Thomas Prather, by deed dated January 9, 1907, transferred this property to Samuel Prather. Adams by this suit is seeking to get the property for his daughters.

Shippers Wait News Of Burning Vessel

BOSTON, May 5.—Details regarding the burning steamer sighted 300 miles south of Cape Race yesterday by the steamer Sedeltz, Bremen for New York, were anxiously awaited in shipping circles today. The messenger wireless dispatches sent last night by the Sedeltz and by the Sable Island radio station said it had been impossible to learn the name of the vessel.

Madman Kills Two And Wounds Third

HAYDEN, Colo., May 5.—Two men were killed and one wounded today when James O'Dham ran amuck with a shotgun. For two years efforts had been made to have O'Dham committed to the state asylum for the insane. Charles and Cliff Fulton were killed and Samuel Lightizer wounded.

Standard Oil Votes California Dividend

RICHMOND, May 5.—A quarterly dividend of \$2.50 a share, payable June 15, 1914, to stockholders of record at the close of business May 20, was voted today at the regular meeting of the directors of the Standard Oil Co. of California.

Wife Wins Separation From Young Belmont

NEW YORK, May 5.—Ethel Lorraine Belmont today won her separation suit against Raymond Belmont, son of August Belmont, the financier. Alimony at the rate of \$100 a month was allowed. Young Belmont is now abroad.

TRACKS MINED.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Information came from Vera Cruz to the War Department today that the Mexican federal troops have mined the railroad tracks from Vera Cruz to Mexico City in preparation for the utter destruction of the road in the event that the American forces attempt a march on the capital.

No confirmation had been received of reports that the San Francisco bridge on the Interoceanic Railroad had been damaged.

The mines are reported to be located a half mile apart and Mexican soldiers have been detailed to touch off the fuses should hostilities occur. These preparations and throwing up of defenses, which are daily making the position of the Mexican federal troops stronger, are known to be a source of worry to General Funston. Admiral Mayo at Tampico, has informed the Navy Department that he would have no trouble in taking Tampico with his present forces.

MAY MOBILIZE MILITIA.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Instructions to militia organizations throughout the country concerning a possible mobilization of the National Guard were mailed today to all militia officers by the War Department.

The text of the Mexican mediators' telegram to General Carranza, eliminating him from the mediation proceedings, which became known today, disclosed for the first time that the mediators held that "all the difficulties that contributed toward the present situation in Mexico bear either directly or indirectly on the solution of the pending conflict between Mexico and the United States."

This message from the mediators gives the first authoritative expression from them that they considered the whole range of Mexican difficulties, including the Huerta-Carranza issue, as having a bearing on the issue between the United States and Mexico.

For the first time since the occupation of Vera Cruz the regular session of the Cabinet today lasted less than an hour. After the conference Cabinet members said there was practically no discussion of the Mexican situation and that the time was devoted to departmental routine.

Admiral Rodger reported today a special mail service between Galveston and Vera Cruz would be established for the benefit of the army and the fleet with torpedo boat destroyers as the mail carriers.

FOURTY-FIVE WOUNDED.

The American wounded now under treatment aboard the hospital ship Solace now number 45, and all are reported doing well.

L. Benson, ordinary seaman on the New Hampshire, is the latest of these to be discharged.

A resolution calling on President Wilson for information as to whether there is any basis for a report that the president may aid Pancho Villa to become the next ruler of Mexico was introduced in the Senate today by Senator Lippitt of Rhode Island.

The resolution, under an objection by Senator Stone, chairman of the foreign relations committee, went over until tomorrow morning.

WILSON EARLY AT DESK.

President Wilson was at his desk an hour earlier than usual and received reports from the War and Navy Departments regarding the occupations at Vera Cruz and the Mexican border. He also talked with Secretary Bryan on the diplomatic branches of the situation. Chief interest so far as the Cabinet was concerned, centered in the mediation negotiations and who would be selected by this government as delegates to confer with the Latin American envoys. Secretary Bryan reiterated before the cabinet that the American representative or representatives had not yet been named. There were reports, however, of the decision of the United States as to its advisory delegates later today.

TO DEFEND STATION.

Overnight dispatches to the war department from Vera Cruz were summarized in this statement by Secretary Garrison today:

"The latest message received from General Funston came during the night of May 4. It stated that the (Continued on Page 2, Cols. 3-4)

Teach Your Child How to Be Healthy

**Regular Bowel Movement From
Infancy Insures Good Health
in Later Years.**

We cannot all start life with the advantages of money, but every child born is entitled to the heritage of good health. Through unfortunate ignorance or carelessness in the feeding of a baby its tiny stomach may become deranged. The disorder spreads to the bowels and before the mother realizes it the two chief organs on which the infant's comfort and health depend are causing it great suffering. If the condition is allowed to continue grave ailments often result. There is, however, no occasion for alarm, and the sensible thing to do, but it should be done instantly—is to give the baby a small dose of a mild laxative-remedy. In the opinion of a



BERTHA LEE WOODARD

the common disorders of life, such as constipation, liver trouble, indigestion, biliousness, headaches, and the various ailments of the stomach

and bowels, as the picture of Bertha Lee Woodard, 3 years old, of Moultrie, Ga., the proper remedy is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Mrs. I. N. Woodard says that little Bertha was troubled with constipation for over a year, and that after trying several different kinds of remedies she found her relief in Syrup Pepsin. It is a mild, pleasant-tasting laxative, which every person likes, does not gripe nor cramp, and contains that most important of all ingredients, castor oil.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is especially indicated for children, the elderly, old people and all others to whom harsh cathartics, salt waters, pills, etc., are distressing. In fact, in

U. S. Vessels Are Barred From Vera Cruz State Ports

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Admiral Badger reported to the Navy Department today the receipt of word from the torpedo-boat destroyer Drayton at Tuxpan, that Territorial Minister Halcón there had ordered customs officers not to clear or enter any vessels from or to American ports. This order, it was further reported, had been given to all ports in the state of Vera Cruz.

The Drayton also reported thirteen Americans had been detained against their will at Mulsituya, in the state of Puebla, about 50 miles from Tuxpan. This information was given to the British consul at Tuxpan by American refugees, who said the Mexican authorities were so threatened as to be unable to give them any aid.

Firing continues daily at Tampico between constitutionalists and federal forces, according to a report transmitted from Admiral Mayo by Admiral

Badger today. Heavy guns were heard yesterday morning. Admiral Mayo also reports that he is forming a special service squadron under Admiral Winslow. He did not indicate what ships would be employed for this purpose. The Tacoma and the Des Moines, it was stated, would remain under Admiral Mayo at Tampico for the present.

HIGH TAXES IN MEXICO. LINCOLN, Neb., May 5.—John Tully, president of the First National Bank of Crete, has called on Governor Morehead on behalf of 20 or 40 Crete people, who own lands in Mexico. Tully says the American land owners in the vicinity have been notified that they must pay taxes on their Mexican real estate for the year 1914 and also the year 1915, the amount in each case being given in the notice.

The notices received from Mexico show that the value of the Americans' holdings have been doubled in value by the assessing officers. They cannot understand why they should pay taxes a year in advance and fear it is a plan of confiscation. Governor Morehead told banker Tully he was powerless to act, and advised him to consult with Secretary Bryan.

MEDIATORS PROCEED; CARRANZA ELIMINATED

**Huerta's Troops Mine Tracks to Check
American Forces**

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night. He viewed the Tatar pumping station yesterday and reports that he is arranging for a proper defense of the pumping station without extending our lines.

CARRANZA ELIMINATED.

With the virtual elimination of the constitutionalists from proceedings toward a general settlement of Mexico's ills, the South American envoys today began to compose differences between Huerta and the United States government that led to the seizure of Vera Cruz. Carranza's elimination, at least for the present,

retire from the Presidential fixing Thursday of this week as the date of his withdrawal.

Other reports from the capital declare that Huerta instead of yielding, has determined to "play out the game."

A woman said to have killed eight American bluejackets and marines by sniping them in the streets during the first days of the American occupation, was given into the custody of the American authorities last night. A Mexican had informed army authorities of her whereabouts, upon which her house was searched and a quantity of arms found. She is to be tried by a military court on charges of murder.

Mexicans Celebrate Their Independence Along Border Line

CALIXICO, Cal., May 5.—Exploding bombs and firecrackers at Mexicali, the Mexican garrison town across the international border, woke the people of Calixico to a realization at daylight today that this was "Cinco de Mayo" anniversary of when the Mexicans call their independence, which dates from the day Porfirio Diaz and General Zaragoza defeated the French at Puebla in 1862.

Throughout the morning the mountains to the south echoed the explosions of fireworks and Americans on this side of the line were apprehensive that some enthusiastic Mexicans might resort to the use of firearms.

A report reached Captain Harbord, the American military commander here, that nine field guns were on the way to the Mexican garrison at Mexicali from Ensenada, where they had been landed by a ship from the south. Harbord did not accord great credit to the report.

Mexicans Terrified, Fearing Attack by U. S. Cruiser

ON BOARD U. S. S. SOUTH DAKOTA, At Sea, April 27, (via wireless to San Diego, Cal., delayed in transmission).—The entire Mexican population of Salina Cruz fled in terror when the U. S. Cruiser Denver touched at that port Tuesday, April 21, according to a story related by officers of the gunboat Annapolis, which was spoken this afternoon by the South Dakota.

Believing that the warship had come to shell the town for recent anti-American demonstrations by the more excitable of the native population, those who had been most active a few days before in stirring up feeling against the Americans looking toward violence suddenly became equally active in scrambling out of the city.

The Annapolis had about 16 refugees, including women and children, bound from south coast points for Mexicali to be placed there on vessels bound for the United States. They told of anti-American demonstrations at various places, but said none were of a serious nature, and that they had been provided with an escort of federal soldiers to the Annapolis.

The British consul, it was stated, is looking after American interests in Salina Cruz, the American consul having left.

No Shore Leave Granted Cruiser S. Dakota Men

ON BOARD U. S. S. SOUTH DAKOTA, ACAPULCO, Mexico, April 28, (via wireless to San Diego, May 5 (delayed in transmission).—The arrival of the cruiser South Dakota late today was a signal for the immediate evacuation of the city by the Mexican federalists. The vessel anchored in the bay at nightfall and made no attempt to send any boats ashore, so the Mexicans gained courage and returned later.

Commandante Sale of the federal garrison issued a proclamation offering complete amnesty to all rebels who would join the federals against the United States.

The Huertistas, headed by the military and civil officials, soon after turned their attention to the celebration of several important victories over the United States along the northern border, news of which was pretended had just reached Acapulco. Generals Villa and Carranza had joined Huerta, so the story ran, and were marching for the invasion of the United States. El Paso and Brownsville had fallen before the invading armies of the United Mexican leaders. It was said, and the Americans had lost 600 in killed at Vera Cruz.

These false tales of Mexican achievement are so inflated, the minds of the populace that no shore liberty was granted on the South Dakota for fear the sight of the American uniform in the streets might lead to disorders and possible bloodshed.

INVITE MEDIATORS. MONTPELIER, Vt., May 5.—An invitation to the mediators between the United States and Mexico to hold their conference in the city hall here was forwarded to Washington today by Mayor James Boutwell.

TROOPS TO EMBARK. GALVESTON, Tex., May 5.—The Galveston water-front is humming with preparations to embark more troops for Mexico. Rolls of mosquito netting will be taken to Vera Cruz to be used in keeping off the fever-breeding mosquitos. The army aeroplanes will be sent to Vera Cruz on the transports.

ASK GREY TO INTERCEDE. LONDON, May 5.—Foreign Secretary Grey was invited today by Sir John David Rees, Unionist, in the House of Commons, to ask the American government to abandon its position

of greater moment than the restoration of peace and the protection of life and industry in Mexico.

The foreign secretary declined, declaring that in view of the fact mediation had been undertaken by Argentina, Brazil and Chile it could serve no useful purpose for the British government to make separate proposals on its own account to Washington or Mexico.

American Charge O'Shaughnessy Is Victim of Thief

NEW ORLEANS, May 5.—Mexicans did not even except Nelson O'Shaughnessy, former American charge at Mexico City, in preying on American property after the fall of Vera Cruz. Nearly all of the baggage of Mr. and Mrs. O'Shaughnessy was stolen from the special train Huerta provided for the charge and his party to transport them to Vera Cruz after he had been handed his passports.

The former charge arrived today on the gulfport Yucatan and early in the day he and Mrs. O'Shaughnessy began a shopping tour to replenish their wardrobes. The party leaves tonight for Washington.

ENVOYS WITHDRAW MEDIATION OFFER

**Declare Mexican Internal Difficulties Are Related to
Mediation.**

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The envoys sent yesterday to General Carranza withdrawing the invitation for a constitutionalist representative to come to Washington to participate in the mediation was as follows:

"We have received your telegram in which you are kind enough to tell us that you deem it inconvenient for the Constitutional cause to suspend hostilities against General Huerta on the ground that such suspension would only accrue to the benefit of Huerta, and in which you declare the international conflict between Mexico and the United States for whose solution you accepted our good offices is independent of the internal strife in that country.

"We consider this unexpected statement as inconsistent with the idea which caused us to offer our good offices. We think, indeed, that all the difficulties which have contributed to the present situation in Mexico bear either directly or indirectly on the solution of the pending conflict between Mexico and the United States. Consequently we think these difficulties should be made the subject of consideration in the negotiations for whose successful conduct we have deemed it indispensable to suspend hostilities.

"Should you not deem it so we would be compelled in that case to withdraw as inappropriate our invitation for the appointment of representatives of the Constitutionalists in such negotiations.

"We beg to assure you of our highest consideration."

A second message has been received by the mediators from Carranza, in which he specifically asks them to make definite the terms and scope of the negotiations before he proceeded to appoint representatives.

No reply was sent to this telegram as the attitude of the mediators was embodied in the former note.

The appointment of a United States representative as requested by the mediators was the next step and it was thought this would be settled as a result of the regular Cabinet meeting today.

SUSPEND FLOUR DUTY. JUAREZ, Mex., May 5.—By order of General Fidel Avila, chief of arms at Juarez, the duty on flour entering Mexico has been suspended for eight days. This action was taken to relieve the distress among the poor of the state of Chihuahua, who were thrown out of work when American and foreign mining properties were closed down.

CONSUL LETCHER ARRIVES. EL PASO, May 5.—Marion F. Letcher, United States Consul at Chihuahua, arrived here today from Chihuahua by automobile. Letcher declared that political conditions in Mexico had nothing to do with his departure from his post. He said he came for a few days' visit with his family here.

Mr. Letcher stated there existed no friction or unrest in Chihuahua, and that there was no evidence of anti-American or anti-foreign feeling in that section.

A Message to Thin, Weak, Scrawny Folks

An Easy Way to Gain 10 to 20 Lbs. of Solid, Healthy, Permanent Flesh. Thin, nervous, undeveloped men and women everywhere are heard to say, "I can't understand why I do not get fat. I eat plenty of good, nourishing food." The reason is just this: You cannot get fat, no matter how much you eat, unless your digestive organs assimilate the fat-making elements of your food instead of passing them out through the body as waste.

What is needed is a means of gently urging the assimilative functions of the stomach and intestines to absorb the oils and fats and hand them over to the blood, where they may reach the starved, shrunk-up, thin person's body and build them up. The thin person's body is like a sponge-cake full of large, empty cells, the fatty materials of which it is being deprived by the failure of the alimentary canal to take them from the food. The best way to overcome this sinful waste of flesh building elements and to stop the leakage of fats is to use Sargol, the recently discovered regenerative force that is recommended so highly by physicians here and abroad. Take a little Sargol tablet with every meal and notice how quickly your cheeks fill out and rolls of firm, healthy flesh are deposited over your body, covering each bony angle and protecting point. Osgood Bros. drug store and other good druggists have Sargol, or can get it from their wholesalers.

Not satisfied with the gain in weight, it is also stated on the guarantee in each package, it is inexpensive, easy to take and highly efficient.

Caution—While Sargol has produced remarkable results in overcoming nervous dyspepsia and general stomach troubles, it should not be taken unless you are willing to gain ten pounds or more, for it is a wonderful flesh-builder.

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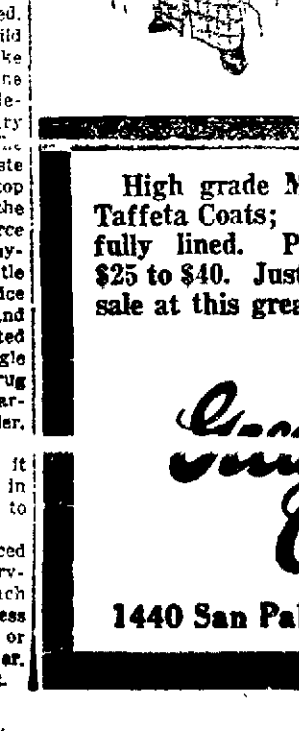
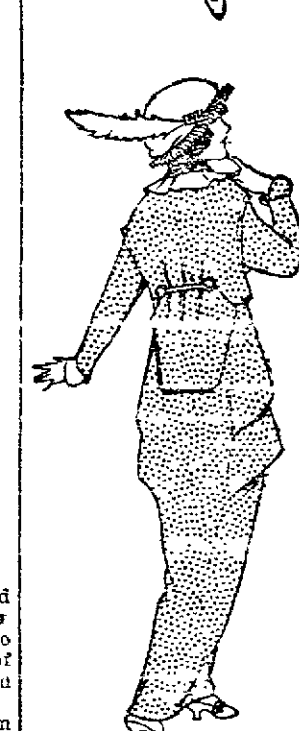
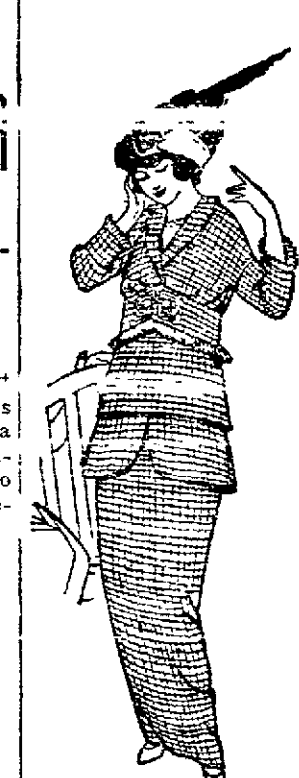
Order Restored!

Expansion Sale Continues Without Further Interruption

Entrance to our store is no longer blocked with wreckage and carpenters. We have things cleared up in good shape and are now going on with our Expansion Sale more vigorously than ever.

Our earnestness in this matter can be judged from these terrific reductions planned for tomorrow, Wednesday

See this merchandise on display in our new windows. The most attractive show windows of any specialty store west of Chicago.



Suits

Values to \$22.50 **\$10.00**
What is newer or more wanted than these black and white stripes, tango shades and Copenhagen shadings? On sale tomorrow at Ten Dollars.

Values to \$40.00 **\$14.50**
Materials and colorings included in this assortment of English new spring suits. See them in the windows before you come in the store.

Every High Grade Suit in the House

Suits that you have seen here at two and three times this Sale Price, are now reduced regardless of their actual value. No stock anywhere this spring has been more complete than ours, hence you are assured a most comprehensive assortment from which to make a selection.

STUNNING SILK POPLINS, TAFFETAS, GABARDINES, FRENCH SERGES, LINGARDINES, High Class black and white Shepard checks, wool crests, etc. Styles for misses and small women and plenty for women up to size 46.

Waists 95c

How can we sell such Waists for 95c? That's what we hear all day long. The newest styles fresh from the manufacturers' hands. Lingerie in a thousand and one different models.

Also bargain just as wonderful at—\$1.50, \$1.25 and \$2.95. Exquisite crepe de chine Waists, regular \$6.00 values, for \$3.95.

DRESS SKIRTS Genuine \$5.00
—Any of our "KLOSFIT" Silk Petticoat, with the Klossit label—\$18.00, SALE PRICE, \$3.50.

Dresses

This is the time for you to buy Dresses. Come tomorrow and economize in buying the most charming, most fascinating Dresses imaginable. Here are the Sale Prices: \$7.50, \$9.50, \$12.50, \$14.50, \$16.50.

Coats

All at Sale Prices Tomorrow. Marvelous values in the newest coat creations of the season. \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$9.50, \$12.50, \$14.50, \$16.50.

White Coats at \$9.50, \$14.50, \$16.50.

High grade Moire, Silk Poplin and Taffeta Coats; beautifully made and fully lined. Positively values from \$25 to \$40. Just received and placed on sale at this greatly reduced price.

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Cloak Co.**
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WE GOT IT!

We got the James D. Hahn stock of high-grade Men's Furnishings and we've been selling it out at prices away below the cost under ordinary conditions. Thousands profited in the past few days by buying at the Hub and there is still plenty of merchandise to choose from

NOW FOR HATS

This week we're going to make Hat history in Oakland, for we've marked all the high-grade Hahn hats at two extremely low prices. Read the following:

All Hahn Hats Values up to \$3.00, NOW 95c	All Hahn Hats Values up to \$5.00, NOW \$1.95
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FURNISHINGS

50c Pad Garters 15c	25c Hose 15c	50c Suspenders 15c	50c Neckwear 15c
Pure Silk Hose 2 Pairs for 35c	Silver Brand and Other \$1 Shirts 45c	Sweater Neck Underwear 45c	Athletic Union Suits 60c
\$1.50 Soft Cuff Shirts With Collars 65c	\$1.50 White Plaid Shirts 70c	Men's \$15 and \$18 Suits Cut to \$7.85	Men's \$20 and \$22.50 Suits Cut to \$10.85

THE HUB
11TH AND BROADWAY

CITY CAMPAIGN TO AID WATER DISTRICT

Berkeley Propaganda Will Be Officially Launched at Mass Meeting Tonight.

Increasing interest in the water district campaign has resulted in the calling of a number of meetings at which the measure will be discussed. The campaign in favor of the measure will be discussed tonight at a mass-meeting at the Berkeley city hall, when the campaign for Berkeley will be officially launched. James H.

B. Sturgeon, City Engineer J. J. Jessup and others will talk.

The water district plan was explained today to the women of the Ebell Club by O. E. Hotte, a member of the Oakland Commercial Club, who has made a study of the subject. The matter will also be considered by the Oakland Merchants' Exchange tonight.

"You will hear much talk about this water district campaign," said Hotte, "but the matter is not really a technical matter," declared Hotte in speaking before the Ebell Club. "Much of this talk is irrelevant, much of it is based upon meager facts or no facts and many theories."

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"The machinery was put in motion over two years ago by those who believed this to make it possible of attainment. That possibility is now looming in view. The election to form the necessary district has been called for June 2."

"Certain people have felt that the law did not offer the requisite protection to the people from arbitrary acts, or dishonest acts, on the part of the directors of the proposed water district. To check all this there are certain fundamental safeguards that have been thrown around the project as a sort of bulwark. Briefly these are as follows:

"The mayors have agreed to pledge their apportionment to grant a referendum to the voters on all matters of purchasing property. The apportionment of the mayors constitute a majority of the board."

"The apportionment of the mayors will also be pledged to obtain a valuation of the property from the state railroad commission. The Peoples Water Company has agreed to sell its holdings on the valuation to be so fixed by the state railroad commission."

"The property cannot be purchased without bonds being passed and the people will have to vote on the bonds. So that the voters have the last say in the matter and are fully protected throughout. This protection is made stronger by the general belief in the efficiency and integrity of the state railroad commission."

AGED FATHER SLAIN BY SON

Parent is Murdered in Home by Demented Offspring.

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Durree and his son before they returned for the night, an overturned table, a broken screen and books scattered about the floor of the sleeping porch led the police to believe that Chester had awakened his father and that a struggle had ensued before the shots were fired.

BECOMES VIOLENT.

Chester Durree became violent after being placed in a cell, and gave every evidence of insanity.

He declared he shot his father when he received a "spiritual message from George Washington," and that he had intended to take his own life.

"I was the best friend my father had and he was my best friend," said Durree. "I loved him dearly. If he were here now he could explain the whole matter. I really don't know why I shot him."

While talking the prisoner dug his finger nails into his hands until they bled. A policeman was stationed outside the door to prevent him from injuring himself seriously.

POSTMORTEM EXAMINATION. When Durree was arranged he appeared more rational. He said he had no attorney, but wanted one, so the examination was postponed until Thursday morning. L. G. Durree, his cousin, said the Durree family had believed for some time that Chester was mentally unbalanced and had considered taking steps to place him in a sanatorium or asylum. Chester's mental condition, said the cousin, was due to overstudy.

EPILEPTIC FITS Stop

When the weak nerves that cause the spells are strengthened and kept in good condition by the use of

Dr. Guertin's Nerve Syrup

It helps with the first Dose. Safe, sure and guaranteed to give satisfaction. Four dollar bottle if first bottle fails in any case of Epilepsy or Convulsions, no matter how bad. It is the Sunshine for Epileptics. A valuable remedy for Dizziness and Insomnia. Large bottle, \$1.00; 6 bottles, \$5.00 Sold by

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Write the makers, Kalmus Chemical Co., Kalmus Building, Cincinnati, O., for their valuable illustrated medical book, **"FREE EPILEPSY EXPLAINED"** which is sent free to you

Columbia Double-Disc Records—Fit Any Talking Machine—Price 65c—Grafonola Department, Third Floor

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PLAUEEN LACE COLLARS—In white and cream. SPECIAL, 39c Each.

Specials in Ribbons at 25c

Extraordinary VALUES in RIBBONS, in Dresdens, Checks, Stripes and Satin Edged Moire—widths 4 to 6 inches. EXCEPTIONAL VALUE at 25c

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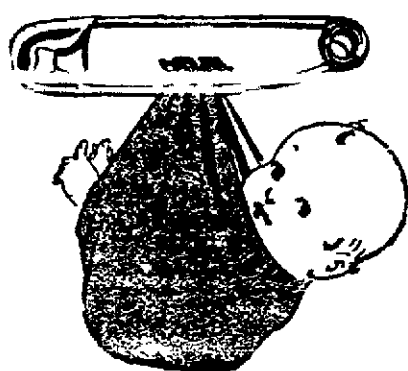


Big Values in Children's Summer Parasols Tomorrow

Just arrived this beautiful new line of CHILDREN'S PARASOLS. They come in scalloped edges, flounced borders in plain and fancies, in all the pretty dainty colors. They're just too cute to describe them.

The 35c values are selling at 25c
The 25c values are selling tomorrow at 19c

Baby Day



INFANTS' FLANNEL GOWNS—In pink or blue
stripes; sizes 6 months to 3 years. 19c

INFANTS' WHITE TENNIS FLANNEL WRAP-
PERS, trimmed in pink or blue. 39c

INFANTS' LONG DRESS, hemstitched collar and
cuffs; also fine embroidered collar 48c

INFANTS' LONG OR SHORT COATS; made of
bedford cord, cape trimmed with
fancy braid and ribbon. SPECIAL \$1.59

Nemo Week Specials in Nemo Corsets

This week is Nemo week all over the country—we are taking immediate advantage of the Nemo advertising by giving you some good styles of Nemo Corsets—of discontinued numbers at SPECIAL PRICES. Here they are—\$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00 Nemos—on sale at \$2.59, \$2.98 and \$3.79.

Corset Dept., Second Floor.

Unexpected Company

You want to serve them something specially nice, not the stereotyped of tea but something unique. How convenient in such cases to have on hand a jar of

BORDEN'S Malted Milk

Consisting of rich creamy milk with extracts of wheat and barley malt, it makes a delicious and sustaining drink with that "putty" flavor which is so appetizing and can be served hot or cold and either plain or flavored. Try a Malted Milk chocolate for your guests. Sold at Kahn's Drug and Grocery Depts.

A Real "Kahn Suit Sale"

The Kind of a Sale That Can't Be Copied Because No Other Store Has Such Styles, Such Qualities, Such Values to Offer



In our determination to outdo all competition in genuine value-giving, we have selected hundreds of the best selling numbers from our own high-grade stock and reduced them to a mere fraction of their former values. Read on!

\$14.50 Buys SUITS
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Selling to \$22.50 Selling to \$30.00 Selling to \$37.50

Great May Sale of Lingerie Blouses

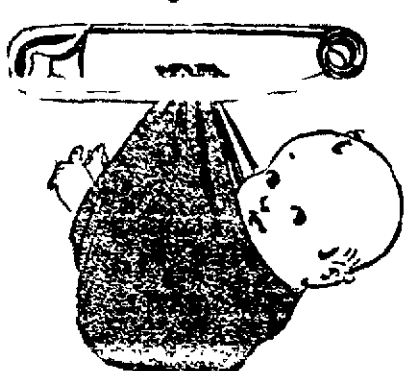
Lingerie Blouses 39c Values to \$1.00
Lingerie Blouses 89c Values to \$1.65
Lingerie Blouses \$1.19 Values to \$2.00
Lingerie Blouses \$1.69 Values to \$2.95

Kahn's—Headquarters for Khaki Goods and Bathing Goods for the Mountain, Camp or Cross Country Hike, is a good "slogan" to memorize this spring and act upon! Best of styles, lowest prices, best of fabrics. Outing Department, Second Floor.

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BUTTER—Fancy Creamery 55c
COFFEE—Our select—Reg. 25c lb. Special, 2 lbs. 45c 4 1/2 lbs. \$1.00
TEA—all flavors—Reg. 50c. Special, 2 lbs. 45c
FLOUR—Guaranteed High Grade Reg. \$1.60; Special \$1.40 per sk.
CATSUP—Snider's Best—Reg. 25c. Special, 2 bottles 35c
GUITTARD GROUND CHOCOLATE—Reg. 30c lb. Special, 2 lbs. 50c
DEL MONTE SLICED PINEAPPLE—Reg. 25c. Special, 2 tins 35c
APPLE—Reg. 25c. Special, 2 tins 35c
CORN—GOOD QUALITY—Reg. 10c. Special 3 cans 25c
SOUP—Each Tableted sufficient for 2 persons—Special, 6 tablets for 25c
GOLDEN STATE BRAND RIPE OLIVES—in tin. Special 10c Dozen tins \$1.15
RICE—Good Quality. Special 9 lbs. for \$5.00
CRACKERS—STANDARD BIS. CO., in tin—Reg. \$1.00—Special, including tin 90c
MARMALADE (Cal. Fruit Canners Association), 16-oz. jar 20c; Special, 2 for 25c
TOLLETT PAPER—full count—1000 sheets. Special, square or rolls, 7 Packages 50c
WALNUTS—Soft Shell—Special, 15c lb. tin
TOP NOTCH WASHING SOAP—Spec. 16 bars 50c; 33 for \$1.00
RED SEAL LYE—Spec. 3 tins 25c
WINE AND LIQUORS—OLD PEPPER—EXTRA SPECIAL SOUR MASH WHISKY. Special, 90c bot. KEY—Full qt. Special \$1.00 Gallon \$3.90
GORDON DRY GIN—Reg. 90c Special 70c bot. CLARET—GOOD QUALITY. Special 45c gal.

Baby Day



Extra Specials

WHITE CRIB BLANKETS—Extra good grade white Crib Blankets with pink or blue borders, for Crib or Buggy. 39c

CRIB SPREADS—Heavy, good wear. 95c

WOOL PAPOOSE BLANKETS. The fine wool Papoose Blankets in a wide range of colors for crib or baby buggy. \$1.69

WHITE COTTON FLANNEL, heavy fleecy and warm, yard 12 1/2c

WHITE OUTING FLANNEL, good wearing and heavy, yard 10c

WHITE SHAKER FLANNEL—WHI wear and wear, yard 16c

WHITE WOOL BABY FLANNEL. The good wearing kind, yard 50c

27-inch Cotton Bird's Eye 10-3d. piece \$1.00

WHITE LONG CLOTH, for Baby Dresses; soft finish; good wearing quality, piece \$1.19

WHITE NAINSOOK, the soft finish, good wearing white material for baby clothes, yard 25c

WHITE CRINKLE CREPE; launders so easily; requires no ironing; for baby clothes; yard 16c

60c YD. 36-inch RUBBER SHEETING; extra good grade 36-inch wide Rubber Sheeting; acid and water proof, yd. 60c

\$1.00 YD. 36-INCH STOCKINET SHEETING; extra good soft finish; acid and water-proof Stockinet sheeting, extra value, yard \$1.00

60c BABY PILLOWS. Extra fine grade sanitary goose feather filled Baby Pillows; size 14x18; blue and white tick covered for bed or buggy; each 60c

NURSERY CRIB BLANKET—Colored Crib Blankets; the heavy good wearing grade; pink and blue grounds with white Nursery pattern; size 36x50. EXTRA VALUE, each 69c

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Trial Size, 10 Cents; Large Size, 50 Cents

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Baldwin Heiress Is Reported Engaged to Writer of Plays.

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shortly after leaving the University of California. Since then, according to their friends, squabbles have been frequent. Several times the heiress and her married life the couple had separated, only to meet again and "make up." Finally, when Tully came West with his "Omar," he filed suit at Los Angeles. In the meantime Mrs. McLaughry, who is the heiress to a portion of the late "Lucky" Baldwin's millions, and one of the richest women in California, decided to take up music, and began by writing melodies for Omar's lips. This occupation threw her into close contact with the playwright. A rumored engagement was whispered in Oakland. It was denied here. In New York the story was openly published.

ARRESTED IN RAID ON ALLEGED LOTTERY HOUSE

Following a raid on an alleged Chinese lottery establishment at 209 East street last night, G. W. Wong, giving occupation as a cook, was placed under arrest on a charge of selling tickets and James Gonzales, Archie Martin, John Olson and Henry Lewis were booked on charges of visiting a lottery house. All were released on \$10 bail apiece, and were granted the morning by Police Judge Mortimer Smith. They will all undergo examination.

TO HOLD INQUEST OVER BODY OF MRS. A. HOLM

The body of Ann Holm, wife of a San Francisco hotel man, who was found dead yesterday at her home, 1306 Bush street, presumably the victim of heart failure, deceased was a native of Germany, aged 42 years, and was a member of the Oakland Christian Missionary Alliance. Her husband is J. F. Holm, owner of a San Francisco hotel. She is also survived by two children. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

Two Little Girls Victims of Foul Fiend

PITTSBURG, May 5.—Florence Dove, 8 years old, and Elizabeth Klenck, aged 9, were attacked at North Braddock, a suburb, yesterday by an unidentified man who hacked the Dove child to pieces with a razor. Elizabeth Klenck is probably fatally injured. Three thousand steel workers heavily armed, are searching for the assailant.

Two suspects, on account of the threats of steel workers, were rushed to jail here. The scene of yesterday's crime is within half a mile of the place where on Thanksgiving Day, 1912, the body of Lillian Schadle, aged 12, was found in the Fall Hollow reservoir tied in a bag.

WOUNDED SAILORS DIE.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Two of the sailors wounded at the occupation of Vera Cruz, died today. They were Harry Pulliam, fireman, and Clarence R. Hirschberger, seaman, both of the battleship Utah.

Insurance Man's Body Recovered From Mine

ECCLES, W. Va., May 5.—The body of Freeman Lineville, an insurance agent of Charleston, W. Va., who went into Mine No. 5 a few minutes before the explosion that claimed 172 lives occurred last Tuesday, was recovered today. Identification was made by a Masonic ring he wore. Other bodies were brought to the top during the night and it is believed the mine will be cleared by tonight.

READILY GRANTED PROBATION.

Cost Pell, who was convicted in the Superior Court on a charge of grand larceny, was placed on probation for a term of 2 years by Judge Ugen today. Pell walked away with a cash register from the premises of a business conducted by himself and another man. He claimed that the register was his. The case was of such a peculiar character that the Court readily granted probation.

Committee Is Wary Of Votes for Women

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Joint resolutions proposing amendments to the federal constitution to extend the right of suffrage to women and for nation-wide prohibition were ordered reported, without recommendations, to the house by the judiciary committee today. This leaves both proposals to the house for decision without suggestion from the committee.

Tired Feeling, Swollen Hands and Feet.

Your kidneys surely need help—and quickly—when your hands and feet thicken, swell up, and you feel dull, sluggish, lose your energy and appetite, and there is a puffiness look under the eyes. Take Foley Kidney Pills at once. They act directly and quickly, and the result is a genuine normal action that keeps the irritating poisons acids out of your system. Use no substitute. Sold everywhere. —Advertisement

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POSSE BATTLES WITH BANDITS

Auto Employed by Sheriff's
Forces in Man Hunt at
Goldfield.

GOLDFIELD, May 5.—Posses from towns in Inyo county, Cal., late Saturday, captured two alleged horse thieves in the mountains near the Nevada boundary, and officers are now searching for Cliff Reagan, known as "Red" Reagan, bandit and train robber, who is wanted in several states and who escaped from the posse.

Constable Nichol of Lone Pine, with William Hoops and an Indian trailer, arrived here at 2 o'clock yesterday morning after 20 hours on horseback, having lost Reagan's trail when darkness overtook them 20 miles south of

being advised that the trio had stolen some horses, "chaps" and rears at a ranch near Olanche, near Owens lake. Nichol and the posse left in an automobile and by chance intercepted the thieves when the latter started to cross the main road. When Nichol ordered them to throw up their hands the men started to draw their revolvers, then spurred their horses and fled. The officers opened fire, shooting and killing the horses of

carried their riders for half a mile before falling. Reagan quickly cut the back saddle from his horse, leaped from it and ran away from the posse, which returned to Olanche and secured horses. The hunt was resumed and soon two of the bandits were overhauled in a small canyon. They had hidden their guns, one of which was found among the rocks near the scene of the capture.

Part of the posse took the captured men back to Bishop while the others continued to this town. One of the men caught is Clarence Beal, cowboy, gun fighter and bad man, who figured in a shooting scrape here recently. When the posse opened fire a bullet from Nichol's gun struck a revolver in Beal's hip pocket, wounding him slightly. Two guns are armed with two heavy revolvers and a rifle and is believed to have headed for a "hole-in-the-wall" retreat in an inaccessible part of the rough stone wall mountains southeast of here. It is believed he will fight to the death. His trail last evening showed that his horse was footsore and ready to quit.

REAL STRADS AT \$5000 FLOOD FIDDLE MARKET

CHICAGO, May 5.—Take it from Kunta Reindahl, president of the newly formed American Academy of Violin Makers, that the famous old Stradivarius fiddles exist today only in fiction. The violins of the "Strad" name and value of \$5000 are the output of a Budapest violin-maker who practically controls an ancient violin trust according to Reindahl.

"Some people don't seem to know that the violin is a reproduction of Stradivari's original," he said, "and all the old violins are now made and have been made for a long time," said Reindahl.

"The violin that Strad left behind him was a masterpiece, enough to give the world a name."

"Now is the time that if I wanted half a dozen genuine Strads, I could call to a man in Budapest and he would send them, each one marked at \$5000 or over, with the understanding that I would get half of whatever I could get out of them."

"Not long ago I ran across a 'violin' I had made myself, with my label removed, a 'genuine' Strad label substituted. It sold for \$5000."

COUNTIES TO ENTERTAIN RIVER-HARBOR VISITORS

Four counties will join in the entertainment of the Congressional Rivers and Harbors committee, which will arrive here in June to inspect the bay and all its inlets. A total sum of \$4750 has been raised by the counties interested for the reception of the Congressmen, who will be taken over the whole of the available harbor space of Alameda and Contra Costa counties.

The Alameda county supervisors have voted \$1500 for the reception of the visitors and have promised more. Sutter county has voted \$750, Yuba county \$1000 and Contra Costa \$1500. The committee-men will be taken on automobile tours throughout the central part of the state to look into irrigation matters.

Ambition Pills For Nervous People

The great nerve tonic—the famous Wendell's Ambition Pills—that will put vigor, vim and vitality into nervous, tired out, all in, despondent people in a few days.

Anyone can buy a box for only 50 cents, and all druggists are authorized by the maker to refund the purchase price if anyone is dissatisfied with the first box purchased.

Thousands praise them for general debility, nervous prostration, mental depression and unstrung nerves caused by over-indulgence in alcohol, tobacco, or overwork of any kind.

As a brain food or for any affliction of the nervous system Wendell's Ambition Pills are unsurpassed, while for hysteria, trembling and neuritis they are simply splendid. Fifty cents at all druggists and dealers everywhere. Mail orders filled, charges prepaid by Wendell Pharmaceutical Co., Inc., Syracuse, N. Y.

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These Splendid Items Feature in the Special Basement Exploitation Sales

Laces and Bands at 15c

2000 yards Shadow and Cluny Laces in fancy meshes. In both white and ecru. Widths to six inches.

New 18-in. 25c Flouncings

Including shadow Laces in beautiful patterns, heavy cluny laces and bands; also camisole shadow laces. In white and ecru.

Fancy Silks 85c

25,000 yards, in all the new patterns, including stripes, dots and floral designs on light or dark backgrounds. Widths 36 and 40 inches. Extraordinary values at 85c yard.

50c Curtain Shades 29c

Good opaque shades, full size and 7 feet long. In green and tan. Made with a dependable roller.

Flannel Kimonos 25c

A clean-up of a limited quantity of HALF PRICE Flannel-kimonos in light and dark colors. All sizes. Closing out at 25c.

The Lightest and Brightest Basement on the Pacific Coast.

Dresses for \$1.98

Very pretty dresses made in various attractive ways. Splendid fitting, well made and effectively trimmed. A large special purchase made for our Basement customers.

Muslin Underwear 1/2 to 1/2 Less

69c, 98c, \$1.19

Manufacturer's "seconds," some slightly soiled and with small defects.

GOWNS, CORSET COVERS, DRAWERS AND COMBINATIONS.

Made of good quality muslin or hainsook and prettily trimmed with laces.

New Wash Silk Waists \$1.98

Made in pretty low neck style of plain or fancy wash silks. Drop shoulder sleeves, attractively trimmed and well made.

2000 Scrim Curtain Ends 15c

Yard lengths in white and ecru. Splendid for such doors and small windows. Values to 45c.

Scrim—5c yard

Good quality scrim for curtaining. In white and cream. Width 36 inches.

Hats for \$2.45

Smart new hats in many clever shapes and with many styles of trimming. A millinery offering for which our Basement Millinery Shop is noted.

\$2.45 and \$2.95 Untrimmed Shapes

Tremendous bargains in fine hemp shapes in all colors and styles.

OSTRICH PLUMES—HALF PRICE.

Messaline Silk Petticoats at \$1.89

New petticoats with pretty plaited flounces. In all the new spring shades; also broadened silk petticoats made of splendid quality silk, cut on new lines and well made. All the spring shades.

\$1.00 Tailored Lingerie Waists 59c

Waists of lawn, linen and voile, some embroidered in colors to harmonize.

Children's Fancy Sox 10c

All sizes in good wearing stockings. Pretty combinations of fast colorings.

Bolt of Ribbon 19c

Fancy ribbons in stripes, checks and oriental patterns, also solid colors.

H. C. Capwell Co.

Best Ventilated Basement on the Pacific Coast.

ASK HALF MILLION FOR PLAYGROUNDS

Cleveland to Vote on Bond Issue for School Children's Recreation

CLEVELAND, May 5.—A big fight is on in Cleveland for a half million dollars. Mayor Newton D. Baker, city councilman, the Chamber of Commerce and the City School Board today, were on record to fight shoulder to shoulder to swing a \$500,000 playground bond issue to be submitted to the voters shortly after July 1. The city already has 34 playgrounds, twenty of which are under supervision of the school board.

"We need a hundred more and we are going to fight for a playground within four blocks of every youngster in Cleveland," School Plan Director Peterson announced today. Peterson recently completed a school ground survey. He reported the following conditions:

Over 41 per cent of Cleveland children are idle in their leisure time. They have no place to play. Fifty-one per cent of these are forced to play in the streets when they play at all.

"These conditions must not last," declared Peterson. Advocates of more playgrounds call themselves city recreationists. They are an organized society behind the movement.

WASHINGTON YOUTH TO KISS "VESTAL VIRGINS"

WASHINGTON, May 5.—There are a dozen or more young men of elite Washington Society circles who today are considered the luckiest men in the world, but nobody—the young men today were named—their identity is not made public—as the fortunate ones on whom will be showered the kisses of a group of "vestal virgins" as a portion of the program of "The Fire Rehearsal" an outdoor Greek drama which is to be given later this month under the auspices of the Drama League. Between 700 and 800 will participate in the pageant, but only these young men named will be permitted to receive the obligatory offerings of the "vestal virgins."

WOULD RESIGN RATHER THAN LIFT S. F. LID

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Rather than reverse my stand against lifting the lid on the Barbary Coast, I would resign, said President Max Baugh of the Police Commission last night at the conclusion of the regular meeting of that body.

The matter came up with the applications of the Cave and Coppas, two resorts, for new licenses. The applications were made ten days ago and decision is still pending. Rumors of an undercurrent of influence to be used with the Police Commissioners have been heard, but up to last night the latter have been non-committal.

A treatment of Electric Bitters increases your appetite, stops indigestion, cures all ailments. A real invigorant tonic for liver, kidney and stomach troubles. Cleanses your whole system and you feel fine. Electric Bitters did more for Mr. T. D. Peeble's stomach troubles than any medicine he ever tried. Get a bottle today. 50c and \$1.00, at your druggist.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve for Eczema.

VISALIA VOTES DRY; MARSHAL IS RECALLED

VISALIA, May 4.—By a majority of 391 votes of a total of 2261 cast the voters of Visalia adopted today the Wyllie law and for the fifth time in four years recorded themselves against the granting of saloon licenses. At the same election William F. Devall, city marshal, was recalled by a majority of 16 votes. Edward Rowland being chosen as his successor.

The campaign to recall Devall was based on the allegation that he had been derelict in enforcing liquor regulations.

COLORADO REPUBLICANS.
DENVER, Colo., May 5.—The selection of a national committeeman to succeed former United States Senator Simon Guggenheim, consideration of the changes in apportionment of delegates to national conventions; and selection of a date for the state assembly election, were the chief matters considered today by the Republican state central committee.

Howell Dohrmann Co. Located with H.C. Capwell Co.

Tomorrow--Sale of Gray Enamelware (Famous Defiance Brand)

Clean, smooth enamel, all perfect pieces, and the most desirable and useful sizes at

Saving Prices

Come for these articles early while the assortment is complete.

Deep Pie Plates DEEP PIE PLATES 9 inch 8c 10 inch 10c	Deep Pudding Pans DEEP PUDDING PANS 1 quart 8c 2 quart 10c 3 quart 12c	Lipped Saucepans SAUCE PANS 1 1/2 quart 12c 2 quart 13c 2 1/2 quart 18c 3 quart 22c 4 quart 25c 6 quart 29c
Dish Pan DEEP DISH PANS 10-quart size 35c	Mixing Bowl BATTER BOWL 6-quart size 29c	Berlin Saucepan and Cover BERLIN SAUCE PANS, TIN COVERS 2 1/2 quart 25c 3 1/2 quart 30c 5 quart 38c 7 quart 48c 9 quart 58c
Footed Soup Strainer SOUP STRAINER 1 1/2 quart size 23c	Coffee Pot PIECED COFFEE POTS With Enamel Cover 1 1/2 quart 25c 2 quart 45c	Tea Kettle ENAMEL COVER Size No. 7 Holds 4 1/2 quarts 59c
Tea Pot ENAMEL COVER 1 1/2 quart 25c 2 quart 45c	Rice Boilers SEAMLESS MILK OR RICE BOILERS 1 1/2 quart 48c 2 1/2 quart 59c	Colander SEAMLESS COLANDERS 10 1/2 inch 25c

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Tomorrow--- A Mammoth Sale of Imported Flowers

For Millinery Trimmings and
and Corsage Bouquets

Entire Sample Line of
Chicago's Leading Importer

Half Price and LESS

Our millinery buyer, who has been in the east several weeks purchasing the latest mid-season and summer millinery, bought this beautiful sample line at tremendous reductions and we are offering them to our customers at unheard of savings.

Included in the collection is every flower used for millinery purposes, made up into bouquets or wreaths—beautiful Daisies, Rosebuds, full Roses, Lilacs, Forget-Me-Nots, etc., and fruits of different kinds, including the fashionable cherries.

All finest grade genuine French flowers going at pittance prices in the height of the greatest flower season in years.

Divided for Easy Choosing into Four Big Price Lots

Lot 1--39c Lot 2--50c Lot 3--75c Lot 4--95c

Also finer wreaths and flowers ranging up to \$4.95 each.

Sale Will Take Place in Millinery Shop, Second Floor

Clean-up Sale of Untrimmed Shapes

A Tremendous Stock Reducing Event

Hundreds of shapes of all kinds in a radical clean-up. The season's most becoming and most fashionable Untrimmed Hats made of fine hems, milans and swiss milans—each and every one a genuine reduction from the regular prices. Note the savings and come tomorrow:

Untrimmed Hats to \$2.95 for \$1.45 Untrimmed Hats to \$5.95 for \$2.45

Untrimmed Hats to \$9.50 for \$3.45

May Sale of Sewing Machines

New machines, used machines and machines that have been used for factory samples at

Great Reductions

Panama Sewing Machines, brand new, drop-head style \$15.75

Singer Drop-head Machines \$20.00

White Rotary Drop-head Machines, very latest style \$25.00

Wheeler & Wilson Drop-head Machines \$20.00

Domestic Box-top Machines \$7.50

Standard Rotary Drop-head Machines \$20.00

Wilecox & Gibbs' Automatic Machines \$17.50

New Home Rotary Drop-head Machines \$28.50

YOUR OLD SEWING MACHINE TAKEN IN PART PAYMENT.

We rent and repair all makes. Brand new sewing machines of any make—One-third less than regular price

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Clav. Thirteenth and Fourteenth Streets.

Smart Styles in New House Dresses

The new House Dresses are so pretty that women are exclaiming over them. They serve their utility purposes yet are very attractive in appearance. No woman who wears one of these will be disinclined to go to the front door of her home for she will be proud of her appearance.

Dozens of pretty styles in gingham, percale, figured crepes, seersuckers and lawns in solid colors, checks or stripes. Trimmed effectively with embroidery or contrasting color.

Prices \$1.25 to \$3.50

Clara Barton House Dresses

The kind with the reversible skirt and waist—\$1.95 to \$2.50.

SIERRA CLUB TO CLIMB MT. DIABLO

Ascent Planned as Part of the Hiking Expedition Scheduled for Saturday.

A climb to the summit of Mt. Diablo is planned for next Saturday and Sunday by the local walks center of the Sierra Club, in which members of the organization and invited friends will participate. Two divisions will leave San Francisco on Saturday, one by the S. & M. Key Route boat and the other by the 1:40 p. m. boat. Oakland members will join these parties at the Oakland and Antioch station at Fortieth and Shafter.

Leaving the train at Wallwood Station, the pedestrians will ascend the mountain by way of Pine Canyon, reaching the summit in time to witness the sunset. The party will camp on the summit for the night, gathering in the evening around a fire where songs and stories will make the hours fly merrily. After watching the sun rise over the crest of the Sierra Nevada, the walkers will return to Wallwood station and reach their homes by evening. Arrangements have been made for carrying the sleeping bags and other impediments of the party to the top of the mountain by wagon.

An ascent of the mountain has become an annual observance of the Sierra Club and each year an increasing number have participated. Local walks to points of interest about the bay region are usually every Sunday and each summer an outing party of more than two hundred visits the Sierra Nevada. The Yosemite National Park will be the section traversed by this year's outing which will be the fourteenth.

CONVERT SISTER SELLS \$20,000 PICTURE FOR \$5

NAPLES, May 5.—An old lay sister of the convent of Santa Clara is awaiting

able pictures presented to the institution by the late Abbess Seur Immaculate, who was formerly a duchess of an ancient Italian family. The nun, who was the Abbess' attendant, appears to have been under the impression that after the latter's death the pictures became her property. One of them which she sold to a Neapolitan dealer for \$5, was later sold in Paris for \$20,000.

SURPRISE AFFAIR IS GIVEN TEAM'S CAPTAIN

Miss Genevieve McDonald, captain of ladies' drill team of Oakland Circle of Foresters of America, was given a surprise at her home, 1507 Poplar street, Mrs. Nellie Stead and Miss Gertrude Ritterbush sang Mrs. Enke and John Van Mourik presented an exhibition of the new dances. Among those present were the following:

Gertrude Ritterbush, Mrs. H. M. Enke, Mrs. Nellie Stead, Miss Elsie Boucher, Miss May Shapiro, Miss Gilda Hirsch, Miss Ruth Koppel, Miss Katherine Flath, Miss Lillian Hunt, Miss Pauline Hirsch, Miss Rose Shapiro, Miss Bethel Crow, Mrs. C. E. Rutledge, Mrs. Kate Cotton, Mrs. M. McDonald, Mr. K. Ritterbush, Mr. F. Zeich, Mr. S. Leber, Mr. M. Acher, Mr. L. Koppel, Mr. J. Van Mourik, Mr. J. Jacobs, Mr. Joe Scott, Mr. J. D. Joseph.

NORMAL GIRLS MAY TEACH IN SAN FRANCISCO

SAN JOSE, May 5.—From seventy-five to 100 positions in the San Francisco school department are to be filled with June 14 graduates of the San Jose State Normal School, according to requests made by the school authorities in the metropolis.

REVOLUTIONISTS IN VENEZUELA VICTORS

WILLEMSTAD, Curacao, May 5.—A force of Venezuelan revolutionists is reported to have defeated the government troops on Saturday at Chiriguara, in the state of Falcon. As a consequence General Leon Guardo, with a thousand regulars, has been ordered from La Guaira to attack the rebels.

FAMED MUSIC MASTER IS CALLED BY DEATH

SEATTLE, Wash., May 5.—Chevalier Paolo Glorza, the famous composer of ballet music and masses and friend of Gounod, Verdi and Rossini, died at his home here today after prolonged illness. He was born in Italy more than 80 years ago, and had lived in Seattle, teaching music, since 1905, when he came here from San Francisco.

TO PRAY FOR AIRSHIPS.

BERLIN, May 5.—The Tages Zeitung says the Kaiser has ordered the insertion in the Liturgy of the Lutheran church a special prayer for military and naval air craft.

MAKES YOUR BACKACHE VANISH. DRIVES ALL RHEUMATIC PAINS AWAY

New Discovery Eases Stiff, Sore, Swollen Joints and Muscles Relieving Backache and Bladder Disorders After Few Doses Are Taken

No matter how badly you suffer, how chronic your case may be, how what has failed to cure you, your pains will leave, your aches vanish and the tortuous, killing backache or rheumatism will bother you no more.

This is what Croxone, the new scientific discovery, does for sufferers of such troubles. It cures these diseases because it reaches the cause and removes it. It soaks right into the walls of the stopped-up, inactive organs like water does a sponge—neutralizes and dissolves every particle of uric acid and makes the kidneys sift from the blood all the waste matter and poisons that lodge in the joints and muscles to scratch and irritate and cause rheumatism. It soothes and heals the delicate linings of the bladder and leaves the kidneys in a clean, strong, healthy condition, so they can filter the blood and keep you well.

If you suffer with backache—have pains in the neck or sides—nervous or dizzy spells—a few doses of Croxone will relieve the congestion and you will be surprised how quickly all kidney, bladder and rheumatic troubles will disappear.

Croxone is different from all other remedies. It is not like anything else on earth ever used for the purpose. It starts to work the minute you take the first time you use it. It is so prepared that it is practically impossible to take it into the human system without results. You can secure an original package of Croxone at trifling cost from any first-class druggist. All druggists are authorized to personally return the purchase price if Croxone should fail in a single case.

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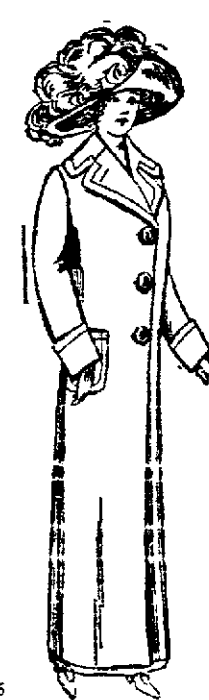
75c Bungalow Aprons.
39c

The all-over housedress effect, and still as apron. Very practical. Made of gingham and available in a large assortment of excellent colors. Come early and get this real value. They go quickly.
75c Aprons, Creditors' Sale



\$12.50 Sport Coats \$6.95
These sport coats are made of the best quality material, and are available in a large assortment of colors. They are very stylish and comfortable to wear. Come early and get this real value. They go quickly.
Creditors' Sale

\$10.00 Long Coats \$4.95
Another coat reduction in beautiful Spring models. The season's newest color effects make this a great reduction. Come early and get this real value. They go quickly.
Creditors' Sale



CREDITORS' SALE

We must turn this \$10,000 stock into cash at once to meet the demands of impatient creditors. Everything sold at less than 40c on the dollar. A general sacrifice of every article in the store. Biggest slaughter of prices in the history of Oakland.

Sale starts Wednesday at 10 a. m. Store closed Monday and Tuesday to prepare for sale.

\$2.50 to \$3.50 Galatea Dresses \$1.49
These dresses are very smart and attractive looking. Made of genuine Hygrade galatea, in striped effects. Excellent colors, well fitting. \$2.50 to \$3.50 Galatea Dresses, Creditors' Sale Price, \$1.49.

\$2.00 Embroidery House Dresses 98c
These house dresses are made of best grade gingham or percale in practical color effects. There are dozens of models to select from. All are designed in very good patterns. They are finished with embroidered cuffs and collars.
\$2.00 Embroidery House Dresses, Creditors' Sale, 98c.

\$5.00 Bath Robes \$1.95
Made of best grade blanket material, designed in very attractive patterns. Shown in the most desirable shades. Finished with a long cord, round collar and deep cuffs. Very rare values. \$5.00 bath robes, Creditors' Sale Price, \$1.95.

\$5.00 Serge Dresses \$2.95
Another serge dress special, made of best English serge in the smartest of Spring models. Colors, navy blue and brown. \$5.00 Serge Dresses, Creditors' Sale Price, \$2.95.

\$7.50 One-Piece Serge Dresses \$4.95
These one-piece serge dresses are models of attractiveness, they are smart looking articles, made of storm serge. There are also some cloth dresses included here. \$7.50 one-piece Serge Dresses, Creditors' Sale Price, \$4.95.

\$3.50 Long Crepe Kimonos 98c
Another Kimono reduction we are sure will create surprise. Made of best crepe, colors, grey, red and white. \$3.50 Long Crepe Kimonos, Creditors' Sale Price, 98c.

\$3.50 Ruff Neck Sweaters \$1.95
Knitted in all-wool worsted, no fancy Jaquard stitch. Conforms to the lines of the figure. Finished with ruff-neck collar. Colors, grey, red and white. \$3.50 Ruff Neck Sweaters, Creditors' Sale, \$1.95.

\$1.00 Comb and Brush Set...39c
\$2.00 Combination Suit...98c
\$1.00 Long Silk Gloves...39c
\$3.00 Hand Embroidered Infants' Kimonos...69c
\$1.00 Guaranteed Gold Ring...25c
50 Crossbar Handkerchief 3 for 25c
25c Chemisette...18c
50c Silk Hair Net, with elastic...18c
25c Burson Hose...15c
1.50 Switch...49c
\$2.00 Hair Puffs...49c
\$2.00 Hand Bag...98c
\$2.75 Net and China Silk Waist...1.25
50c Neckwear...50c
50c Coat Collar...25c
50c Bouquet Caps...25c
15c Dress Caps...49c
\$2.00 Dress Skirt...1.25
\$2.75 Dress Skirt...1.95
\$6.00 Dress Skirt...2.95
\$3.00 White Lingerie Dresses...98c
50c Infants' Kimonos...18c

Creditors' Sale

\$1.25 House Dresses 39c
These House Dresses constitute a real bargain. They are made of the best quality material, and are available in a large assortment of colors. They are very stylish and comfortable to wear. Come early and get this real value. They go quickly.
Creditors' Sale



\$10.50 Two-Piece Serge Suits \$5.95
These dresses are made of best storm serge and are attractive looking garments. Colors, navy blue and brown. A rare reduction on these high price dresses.
\$10.50 Two-Piece Serge Suits, Creditors' Sale Price, \$5.95.

\$1.00 Leather Bags 39c
These bags are made of the best quality leather, and are available in a large assortment of colors. They are very stylish and comfortable to wear. Come early and get this real value. They go quickly.
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\$1.25 to \$2.00 Waists 49c
Here are a lot of waists you can't afford to lose the opportunity of taking advantage of. There are mannish waists, lingerie waists and middie blouses; in good materials. A very low reduction on this lot of waists. All sizes.
\$1.25 to \$2.00 Waists, Creditors' Sale Price, 49c.

\$1.00 Children's Colored Dresses 49c
Children's Dresses at a price never before duplicated. Made of best washable materials, in low and high necks. A large assortment of different models. Good values.
Creditors' Sale Price, 49c.

\$4.00 to \$6.50 Silk Waists \$1.95
Dozens of beautiful Silk Waists in the newest Spring effects. The colors are dainty and the trimmings are of exquisite richness. Suitable for evening or street wear. Low and high necks. \$4.00 and \$6.50 Silk Waists, Creditors' Sale Price \$1.95.

\$1.00 Embroidery Gowns 49c
Made of best quality muslin, finished with embroidery. Colors, navy blue and brown. A rare reduction on these high price gowns.
\$1.00 Embroidery Gowns, Creditors' Sale Price, 49c.

\$15.00 Coats \$7.95
These coats are exceptionally low priced and are models of excellent style. The fabrics are the best and the colors are the most desirable. \$15.00 Coats, Creditors' Sale Price \$7.95.

\$6.50 One-Piece Dresses \$3.95
There are serges, wool mixtures, etc. included in this lot and the fabrics are the best. Stylish up-to-date garments. Desirable colors. \$6.50 one-piece dresses, Creditors' Sale Price, \$3.95.

25c and 35c Corset Covers 15c
Dainty Corset Covers, in Nainsook and Leno materials, lace and embroidered trimmings. All sizes. 25c and 35c Corset Covers, Creditors' Sale Price, 15c.

25c Kitchen Aprons 5c
Five hundred aprons marked at this low price. Exactly as illustrated, made of gingham and percale. This is the greatest reduction ever offered on an article of this kind. Come early; they will sell quickly.
25c Aprons, Creditors' Sale, 5c.

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\$1.00 Combination House Dresses Apron 49c
A convenient article of dress. The illustration shows you how convenient it is. Made of gingham, percale, etc. Good colors; a large assortment. \$1.00 Combination House Dresses, Creditors' Sale Price, 49c.



\$11.95 Party Dresses \$5.95
These party dresses are models of attractiveness, they are smart looking articles, made of storm serge. There are also some cloth dresses included here. \$11.95 party dresses, Creditors' Sale Price, \$5.95.



\$10.50 Silk Dresses \$4.95
These silk dresses are models of attractiveness, they are smart looking articles, made of storm serge. There are also some cloth dresses included here. \$10.50 silk dresses, Creditors' Sale Price, \$4.95.



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Between 9th and 10th Sts.

Don't Lose Your Opportunity to Visit Our Bargain Counter.

Bargain! Chinaware!

Regular 15c Cup and Saucer Now 7 1/2c
Regular 25c Cup and Saucer Now 10c
Regular 35c Cup and Saucer Now 15c
Regular 50c Cup and Saucer Now 25c

Tea Sets, Chocolate Sets, Plates and all Vases
ONE-HALF OFF OR LESS.

Hand-Carved Furniture and All Art Goods—
ONE-THIRD TO ONE-HALF OFF.

BAMBOO BASKETS

Reg. 75c Fruit Baskets Now 32c
Reg. \$1.25 Fruit Baskets Now 59c
Reg. \$1.75 Fruit Baskets Now 89c

All Kinds of Other Baskets—
ONE-THIRD TO ONE-HALF OFF.

ENTERTAINS AT PIANO

MUSICALES BY PUPILS

Mrs. Alice Buckett entertained recently at a musicale at her residence, 3794 Howe street, the program being given by some of the members of her piano class. The rooms, which were decorated with a profusion of beautiful red and white roses, were filled with the parents and friends of her pupils, and at the close of the program a dainty repast was enjoyed by all present. Piano solos and duets were rendered

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GIRL IS HAPPY; RETURNED HOME

Bernice Peiser Sober Relief and Repents Her Foolish Frank.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Her adventures ended by Sacramento detectives, Bernice Peiser, 14 years old, returned last night with her father to her home, 172 Second avenue, and was received with sobers of joy and relief by the mother and sister, who had been distressed when the girl was taken away with her jewelry worth \$500. It was a tearful greeting in which remorse and happiness played equal parts. "I'm so glad to be back and I'm sorry I left," sobbed Bernice when she felt her mother's arms around her. The girl said she is ready to do anything her parents desire, and that means she will resume her schooling and work. Bernice declared that parental restraint that grew more and more on account of her unusual departure and ridiculed the "movies" as a contributor to her trouble. She said that tales of the wonders of the East had lured her from home and this had grown into a "wonderland" that she no longer could resist. She said she told Miss Mildred Cook, 901 Bush street, that she was going to Denver, but that she changed her plans so Miss Cook would not know anything about it. She wanted to start from Sacramento as that seemed most likely to enter in the trail, said Bernice last night. "I thought they could not bring me back from some other State."

Detectives Krippl and Hallinan, who found Bernice, discovered that she was a Colorado girl, and that she was in the Hotel Clayton, Cole denied the transaction first but later admitted it. The bellhop also denied a first that Murphy was an alias for Cole and took the police on a wild goose chase all over the city. The jewelry was recovered and returned to the father.

AUTO TOUR OF 2500 MILES TO START TODAY

COLORADO SPRINGS, May 5.—A score of automobilists were entered in the 2500-mile automobile tour through Colorado, Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Kansas, which started today. The start was scheduled for daybreak, the machines to start from the foot of Pike's Peak. It is planned that the trip shall take three weeks.

The first week's run will be over the Panhandle division of the Colorado to the Gulf highway to Fort Worth and Dallas; the second is taken up with the triangular run to Waco, Austin, San Antonio, Freeport, Galveston, Houston and return by the Gulf division of the Colorado to the Gulf highway, and the final week of the trip through Oklahoma by way of Oklahoma City and Guthrie to Wichita, Kan., with return westward over the Santa Fe trail to Pueblo and Colorado Springs.

ATTACK MEXICAN

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—The men evidently bent on venting a personal fight, assaulted J. Arrabal, a Mexican who resides at the Market and Taylor streets, early today. Arrabal was accompanied by a companion, Joe Lino, who attempted to make to strike the latter, who, however, was restrained from going to the aid of his friend. The police searched the neighborhood and picked up one suspect, who, however, was able to establish a complete alibi and was not arrested.

PROFESSOR QUILTS TO ACCEPT PRESIDENCY

NEW YORK, May 5.—The trustees of Columbia University today accepted the resignation of Professor Frank J. Goodnow from the Eaton Chair of Administrative Law and Municipal Science, which he has occupied since 1902. The resignation takes effect at the end of the current academic year. Professor Goodnow has accepted the presidency of the Johns Hopkins University.

SENATORS WILL HEAR ANTI-TRUST LAWYER

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Samuel Untermyer, counsel for the Pulp money trust, investigating committee, will be the first witness tomorrow to be heard by the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee on the proposed anti-trust bill, according to an announcement today by Senator Newlands, chairman of the committee.

TO UNVEIL MONUMENT

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Work on the Confederate monument to be unveiled in Arlington cemetery, one

Gov. Hiram Johnson

will dedicate and break ground for the California State Building Thursday, May 7. The Ka. House dire 1 to Exposition Grounds. Round in a fare 40c. Free address on to Grounds. Phone Oakland 41-7 for information.

JAPAN APPOINTS FAIR COMMISSION

TOKYO, May 5.—The government has issued an ordinance defining the organization of the commission to the Panama-Pacific International Exposition. According to the ordinance Vice-Minister of Agriculture and Commerce is the commissioner-general. Admiral Baron Uru is appointed vice-commissioner-general and will represent the government at the exposition.

STUDENTS TO GIVE OPERETTA

The students of Class 5-B, 4 and 5, of the Intermediate school on 1 of this city, will give the operetta "Windmills of Holland" next Friday evening in the school auditorium.

GO TO THE RESCUE

Don't Wait Till It's Too Late; Follow the Example of an Oakland Citizen.

Rescue the aching back. If it keeps on aching, trouble may come. Often it indicates kidney weakness. If you neglect the kidneys' warning, look out for urinary disorders. This Oakland citizen will show you how to go to the rescue.

Mrs. B. J. Rothwell, 9216 Birch avenue, Elmhurst, Oakland, Cal., says: "About a year ago I had a pain in my back, especially severe in the morning when I first got up. I had been a great sufferer from my back for quite a while. I felt tired and dizzy and was all out of sorts when the pain in my back left and my kidneys were toned up. One other of my ailments, my red Dorr's Kidney Pills will benefit."

Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Dorr's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Rothwell had. Foster-McBury Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

The First Player Piano was The Angelus

The Best Player Piano Is The Angelus

From the UNITED STATES OFFICIAL CENSUS REPORT: "In 1895 Messrs. Wilcox & White of Meriden, Conn., began manufacturing an interior attachment, and in February, 1897, built their first 'ANGELUS,' a cabinet piano-player. This instrument, the invention of E. H. White, may be regarded as THE PIONEER OF THE VARIOUS SIMILAR ATTACHMENTS THAT HAVE SINCE BEEN PLACED UPON THE MARKET."

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Settle It, and Settle It Right.

Unhappy Colorado has a situation on its hands in the trouble between the miners and the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company that is attracting attention the world over. Men have been slain, property destroyed and the state put to enormous expense. At this distance from the scene and with only one side of the question—that presented by young Mr. Rockefeller—for consideration, we do not propose to discuss the merits of the controversy further than to say that we think the fuel officials made a great mistake in declining an offer made by their employees to arbitrate. Since that refusal a score or more of men have lost their lives, and when as the result of declining peaceful settlement blood is shed and persons are killed, those refusing the proposed method have a grave responsibility to answer for.

Governor Ammons, on the verge of a breakdown, has called a special session of the legislature for the purpose of passing laws compelling the fuel concern to submit the differences to an impartial board to be provided by law. Press dispatches intimate that a certain element in the two houses proposes to fight any measure introduced until the members thereof have had an opportunity to find fault with the efforts made for adjustment; that a talk-fest must occur before action is taken. This is wrong, reprehensible.

Peace should follow the fatal disturbances that have occurred. The way to settle the trouble is to settle it right and settle it quick. Debating what has happened will do no good, an emergency exists and Colorado's legislature should meet it. Suppose Federal troops are keeping order and preserving life and property! There is another element to be considered, the wives and children of the miners. They are the real sufferers. Delay is criminal. There should be none. It is agreed that arbitration is the remedy; pass an arbitration bill and talk about it afterward.

The prune crop may be short, the apple crop light, but the crop of candidates is still thriving with new ones blossoming daily.

The Milwaukee Leader, with some fervency, asks: "Who shall pay for the war with Mexico?" In the light of peace developments this inquiry seems superfluous.

"What's the score?" having supplanted: "How many were killed?" it looks as if the peace dove was once more on the nest.

Packers are canning peas in Oakdale, but "back yonder" the boys are just beginning to plant.

An eastern paper heads a story: "Wins Fair Bride," and then says the girl's name is Black.

Minnesota Democrats and Republicans have declined to fuse. They evidently believe fusion means confusion.

"Constitutional John" Curtin, Senator from Tuolumne, and a candidate for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination, proposes that all the Bourbon aspirants get together and pick one man to make the race. John must have wonderful confidence in his persuasive abilities.

Richard Harding Davis having arrived in Vera Cruz, we may now look for some war news as is war news.

"The American eagle has claws—eh, Senor Huerta and General Carranza?" remarks the Santa Cruz Sentinel. Nay, nay, Duncan, not claws, talons.

General Sickles Answers Last Roll Call.

Following a career of many years during which he achieved distinction as a soldier, a statesman and a diplomat, General Daniel E. Sickles, last of the corps commanders of the War of the Rebellion, has answered the final summons and sleeps in peace at the age of 89.

He was a rugged old character, much misunderstood during the latter days of his life because of certain inflexibilities of disposition, but there is much in his history to admire, for he was brave and able. He was a born soldier, "one of the kindest men that ever struck with sword, and one of the sternest knights to mortal foe that ever set spear in rest." His fondness for military life was early developed and at 23 he was a major of the Twelfth Infantry, National Guard of New York. When the Civil War broke out Sickles tendered his services and was authorized to recruit the famous Excelsior brigade of New York, becoming its first commander. His rise in the army was rapid. At Chancellorsville he headed a division and at Gettysburg a corps. In the last memorable battle he lost a leg while conducting himself with great ability and his conduct on that decisive field placed him on an equal footing as a soldier with Hancock, Howard, Reynolds and Meade. Following the war he entered the regular establishment, first as a brigadier, then as a major-general. His service in the army ended in 1869 when President Grant appointed him Minister to Spain, where he displayed marvelous qualities as a diplomat.

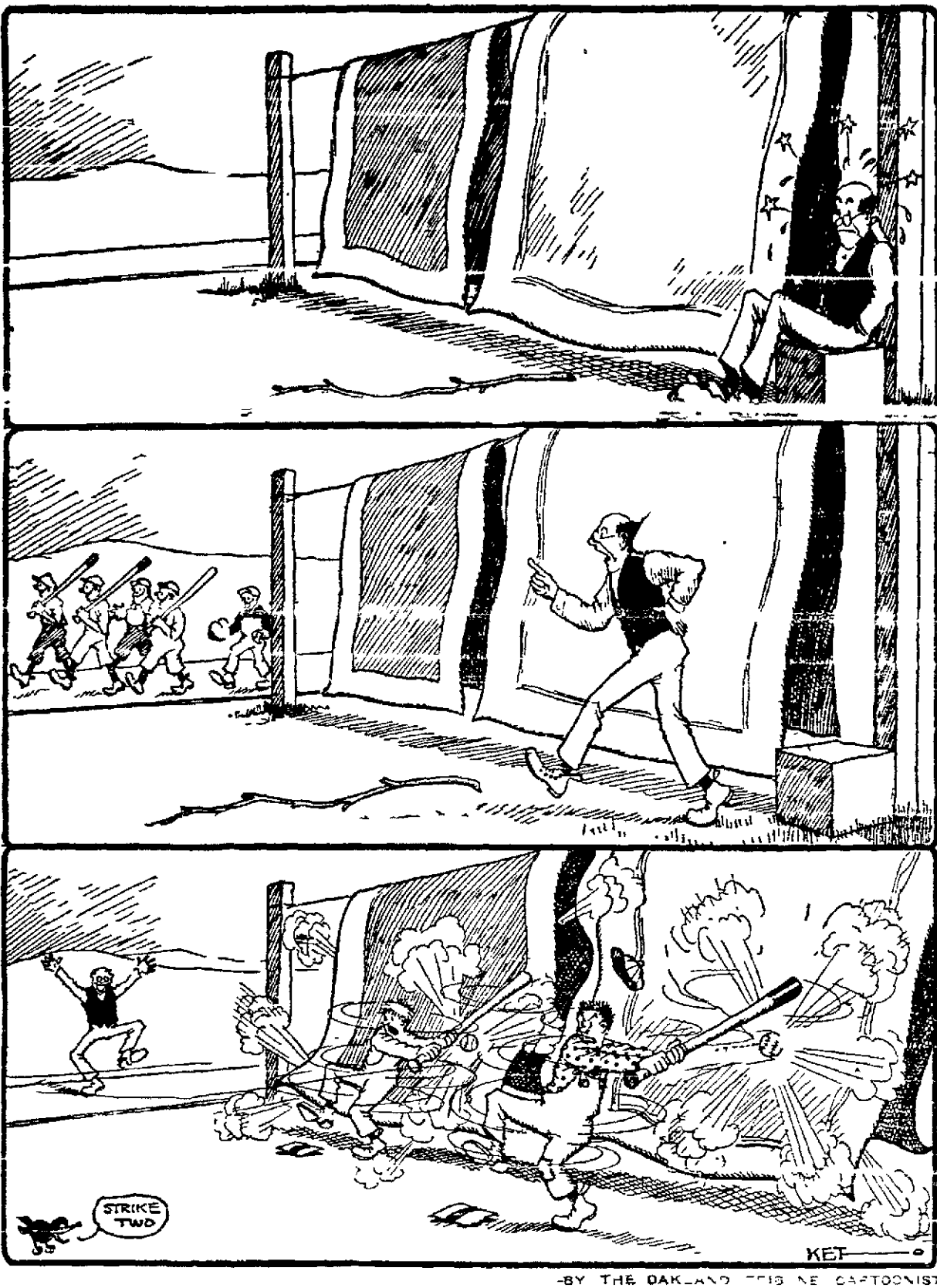
But his life was not all glory and glamor, not all success and felicity. Prior to the distinguished service rendered during the secession he shot and killed Philip Barton Key, a relative of Francis Scott Key, author of "The Star Spangled Banner," for misleading his wife. Acquitted under the "unwritten law," Sickles forgave the erring woman, justifying himself by the assertion that in the denunciation following his action he could see the misery and peril from which he had rescued her. Mrs. Sickles died a few years later.

His second marriage proved an unhappy one, although it is gratifying to note that his wife, from whom he had been estranged many years, stood at his bedside when the end came. His latter days were turbulent, not only because of domestic troubles, but because of debts accumulated and an accusation that he had misappropriated some trust funds. Later it was announced that the loss of the money was due to poor bookkeeping and a mixing of bank accounts.

But as a whole his career was that of a gallant gentleman and brave man. There are thousands of old soldiers of both armies who will revere his memory.

General Miles, retired, never rose to a greater command than that of a division. All the great leaders on both sides have now passed on. Not one of the great men who met on the three-day struggle at Gettysburg are left, all have reunited "on fame's eternal shore" out yonder. But of all who participated in that great battle none earned more laurels for valor than Daniel E. Sickles.

LEAVE IT TO FATHER



Auxiliary Irrigation Systems.

Ordinarily the rainfall of California is ample for the insuring of good crops. But occasionally there are what is known as "dry years" when the precipitation is less than the normal. The last two years have been such, and while the water supply of this last winter has been more than enough, had the preceding years been as wet as the general average, it is stated that because of two dry seasons, roots of apple and prune trees have been affected to an extent that both crops will not be up to standard. Reports, however, do not indicate that either will be failures and 100,000,000 pounds of prunes is the lowest estimate we have noted from reliable authority. This, with rising prices, will no doubt compensate the growers for lack in quantity. That which applies to prunes will also apply to apples.

It is also noted that in several sections of the state growers have learned a lesson from the conditions alluded to and are preparing against any possibility of repetition in future by installing irrigation systems, so that in the event of a short rainfall a supply of water may be available for use at short notice. This is an excellent idea and one worthy of emulation. It is a safeguard against shortage and an insurance against drought. It may be years before their use is demanded, doubtless will be, but when the time comes this emergency supply will be at hand.

There is a story told of Texas and the old gun carrying practice which applies in this instance. A new-comer inquired why all the men carried guns and was told that a man might live in the Lone Star state a long time and not need a gun, but when he did need one he needed it badly. It is the same way with water in California. A rancher might run his place for years without needing an irrigation system, but when the time arrived he would need it bad.

The cost of installing a well and the pumping apparatus, or of utilizing a stream, is insignificant compared to the loss sustained by lack of water at the time when water is demanded, and it is hoped that the plan adopted by a considerable number will be favored by a vast majority.

Public Men Assailed by Irresponsibles.

Alluding to an attack made by a country paper on the senior Senator of California a short time since, one is reminded that too often are great men made the targets for those who have no proof to offer and are entirely unjustified in their assaults. For example the late Senator Bacon of Georgia served his State in public life for more than thirty years, yet when his estate was inventoried it was found to consist mainly of his law library and residence. We recall two or three instances during the lifetime of the Senator where he was attacked and accused of sinister motives, and even classed as a member of the so-called "millionaires' club."

His was not the only instance, however. President Cleveland, following the consummation of the sale of bonds for the replenishment of the gold supply of the treasury, was vilified by papers large and small, and it was said that he "had made millions" by his conduct. Yet when Cleveland died his fortune was found to be comparatively small and only in proportion to the thrifty habits of the man, much of it having been earned as a lawyer following his retirement from office.

Chief Justice Fuller was accused, even after death, of having taken advantage of his position to make money, but when his will was filed for probate his accusers were confounded, for the man left only a modest sum of money, much of which had been derived from fortunate sales of real estate.

Innumerable instances might be quoted, but these serve the purpose. There ought to be honor enough in newspapers not to accuse men in public life of corruption and unfair dealing unless the proof is at hand, but there seems to be a habit prevailing of making random assertions for the purpose of appealing to the passion and prejudice of the masses, successful too often in the far.

PEOPLE OF INTEREST.

Congressman John J. Whitacre of Ohio, who recently caused considerable comment throughout the country by the statement that congress is no place for a man who is intellectually honest, began his career as a student in a law school, taking care of the office of a justice of the peace for a minimum wage at the same time. In time he became a successful lawyer but still engaged in the manufacturing business and in this he has risen to fortune. He owns a large building the plant and has paid little attention to law as a profession for years. In congress he seldom makes a speech. It is said of him that he is one of the greatest readers in the house.

Miss Louise Adick Elcker, who has been appointed acting dean of the London School of Medicine for Women, is one of the most distinguished women in the world. She is surgeon to the New Hospital for Women in Euston road and to the Medical Women's Hospital at Cannon Tower, and is a fellow of the Royal Society of Medicine.

There are angels and angels—and a man usually marries the other kind.

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For five and a half days of the week he concerns himself with stocks and shares, or maybe with insurance business, or even driving or order giving, but at the stroke of 1 on Saturdays he makes for his suburban home to care for his rose bushes or his potato sets. Early on Sunday morning he is in his greenhouse or his few square yards doing some of the lighter kind of garden-

felt hat, his black jacket and vest, his nearly creased trousers and his neat looking boots give way on Saturday afternoons and Sunday mornings to a tweed cap, an alpaca jacket or overall, a pair of trousers which, though baby at the knees and bereft of the crease, allow him to stoop and sit as and where he pleases, and, finally, a pair of warm but thick wooden soled clogs. There you have the charm of gardening. There is no crease to be looked after, no bagginess to be avoided, and it does not matter much whether one's hands are scrupulously clean or not. The hobby takes the business man away from his thoughts of the hurry and bustle of his everyday routine, and brings relaxation and rest and change of environment. It is no exaggeration to say that there are few more fascinating and instructive things and ridding his precious green shoots from flies and other pests that keep the amateur gardener ever on the lookout.

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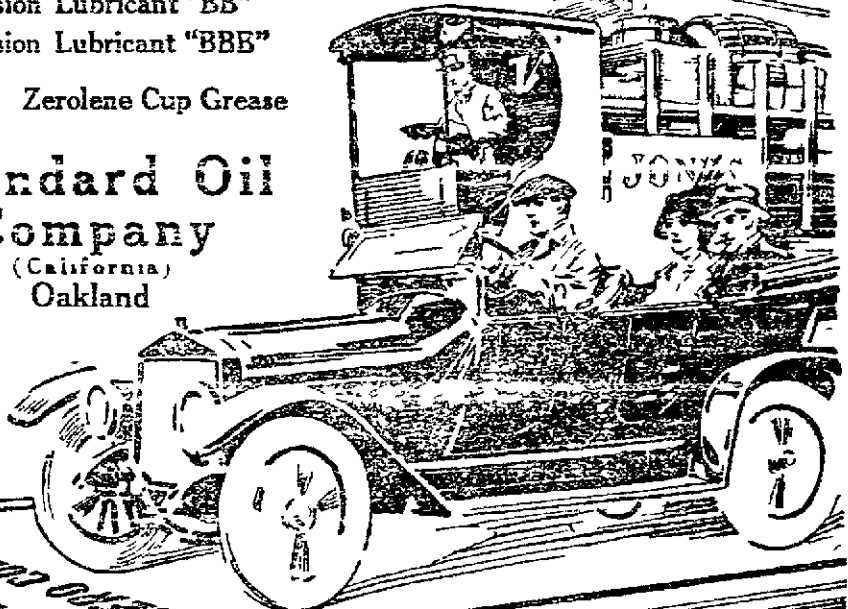
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SHRINERS CARRY CITY BY STORM

Californians, on Way to Atlanta, Leave St. Louis for Detroit.

ST. LOUIS, May 5.—Enthusiastic in boosting for California, the Shrine of Oakland San Francisco 104 Los Angeles and San Diego who were the guests of the city all day, departed at midnight for Detroit in their four special trains en route for the Imperial Council at Atlanta. Hundreds of citizens followed them to the station to bid them farewell and carried home souvenirs in the shape of oranges, raisins, walnuts and literature of the Golden State.

Over 1000 Nobles of Moolah Temple met the visitors at the Union depot this morning when they arrived at 9:30 o'clock and escorted them to the temple luncheon. Headed by the combined bands, the delegates then marched to Jefferson square where the drill teams went through their rapid evolutions in the afternoon. At least a half million feet of the banners of the 127 special luncheon. Later the visitors proceeded to the Coliseum, where a dress parade and guard mount were put on.

Among them Governor "Ike" and his staff, who led in the hearty applause. The occasion is proving the most successful advertising tour for California ever undertaken by the Shrine.

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PYTHIAN FETE TONIGHT CARNIVAL PLANS READY

Magistrate Will Crown Festival Ruler at Park

The Knights of Pythias will open their big six-day carnival tonight with a street parade through the downtown districts, its destination Peralta park, the site of the festival. The line of march will form at Pythian castle, and it is estimated that there will be 5,000 lodgemen in line.

The queen, Miss Rose Weis, will be under the escort of Liberty and Richmond companies. The parade will be as follows: Up Twelfth street to Broadway, thence to Seventh, counter-march on Broadway to Twelfth, down Twelfth to Peralta park, near the dam.

The grounds have been decorated in the blue and yellow and red, the emblematic colors of the order and thousands of lights have been strung. Each lodge has a concession of its own.

Each night will see an entire change.

Kangaroo court will be held by prominent Pythians, the culprit to be one of the ranks high in lodge circles. The fete has been arranged by a general committee appointed by the district.

Lodges in the district have had sub-



QUEEN ROSE WEIS.

committees in the field Pythians attendance. This is the first carnival to be given by the east bay lodges.

Judge George Samuels will be master of ceremonies and crown the queen. He will be assisted by Grand Keeper of Records and Seal H. Schaffner, and Grand Master of the Exchequer John P. Sloan. The visiting lodge women will be the guests of the east bay temples of the Pythian Sisters during their stay in town.

Prominent members of the order who are helping to make the fair a success are Past Chancellors G. W. White, F. P. Lewis and Knight J. M. Watzlawick of Piedmont lodge.

BUYING PRICE TO INCLUDE BONDS

Water District Purchase Not Assumption of Obligation, Says Pardee.

That the metropolitan water district will not have to assume responsibility for Peoples Water Company bonds was stated today by Dr. George C. Pardee, president of the Metropolitan Water District League. According to Dr. Pardee the bondholders must be satisfied with money paid to the company for the property by the district. This amount will be fixed by the state railroad commission.

Dr. Pardee said:

"The water company bond is, of course, in effect a mortgage against the property and, ordinarily, the purchaser of the property could have to assume the mortgage, but in this case, if a bondholder should refuse to accept the terms of the Havens option and satisfy himself with his share of the purchase price paid by the district, he could be forced to such acceptance by condemnation proceedings."

The public utilities act, as I read it, makes the valuation fixed by the state railroad commission final in condemnation proceedings. The bondholder is protected to the extent that he may be heard in court, but if he is made a party to the suit the decree of the court is final. This makes it necessary that the bondholder accept the commission's appraisal one way or the other.

HAVENS OPTION PLAY.

"The Havens option purposes to sell to the district the water company property at a price to be fixed by the state railroad commission, and Max Thelen, member of the commission, stated in a recent address that the commission in fixing that price would be concerned only by the reports of its engineers on the actual physical value of the property and its earning capacity and would have nothing whatever to do with stocks or bonds."

"Of course, we don't know what price the commission will name, but it is not at all impossible that it will be less than the indebtedness of the company, represented by outstanding bonds. Should this be the case the bondholders will have to make the best of it."

The claim of the bondholder is good only to the extent of the value of the property, against which it is secured and this value is to be determined by the state railroad commission.

WHAT BONDS REPRESENT.

The underlying bonds of the Peoples Water Company amount to \$5,800,000. Of this sum \$2,000,000 are issued by the Contra Costa Water Company against 7000 acres of land, \$1,000,000 represents Contra Costa general mortgage bonds; \$1,200,000 was issued by the Oakland Water Company; \$800,000 by the Thompson system in Alameda, and \$800,000 by the Berkeley system.

The total authorized bond issue of the Peoples Water Company is \$29,000,000 of which \$5,800,000 is said to have been issued to cover the bonds of the water companies.

The general mortgage bonds are in the hands of the mortgagees and are valued at \$1,400,000 remain unused in the treasury. The notes represent the floating debt of \$3,835,466, making a total indebtedness of \$15,881,466.

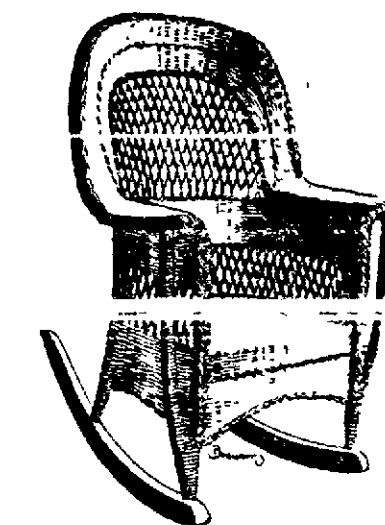
IF OPTION IS DECLINED.

"Should the Havens option be declined by the district we will proceed with the plans now carried out to reorganize the finances of the Peoples Water Company," said W. W. Garthwaite, who, with P. F. Bowles and John S. Drum constitute a committee recently appointed to reorganize the company.

Dr. Pardee yesterday announced the following as members of the body reorganizing committee which is to analyze and correct the water district law: W. P. Edwards of Alameda, Mrs. Sarah C. Corland of the Ebell Club, Ben H. Fendleton of Oakland, J. J. Jessup of Berkeley, H. A. Johnson of the Santa Fe Improvement Club and E. K. Taylor of Alameda.

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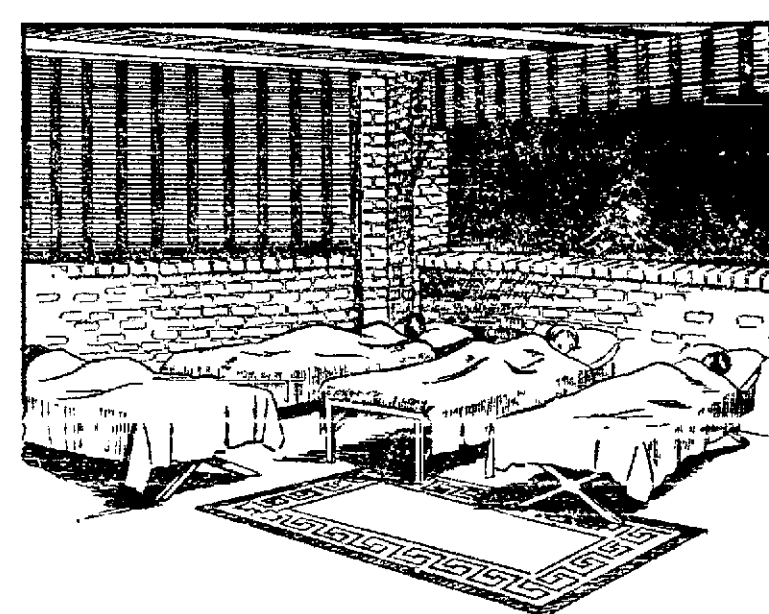
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—Here are simple folding cots in wire or canvas at \$2.25.

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Magner Brothers' Paint Plant Badly Damaged by Early Morning Fire.

SAN FRANCISCO May 5.—A series of explosions, following the firing in an alarm of fire for a fire in the factory of the Magnier Brothers Paint Co. at 47 Vallejo street at Berkeley this morning, destroyed the paint plant.

The fire broke out at 2:30 a.m. at different parts of the second floor as the flames licked their way through the ceiling. The fire fighters battled cleverly with the blaze and in consequence prevented its getting to the basement, where the bulk of the paint and varnish was stored. The blaze was confined to the ceiling of the first floor and the second floor and amounted approximately to \$5000. According to the manager a spark from a telephone wire must have been responsible for the blaze unless it originated through spontaneous combustion. The maintenance that all of the electric power

SEEKS DIVORCE FROM MILLIONAIRE

Mrs. Robert Tyson, Already Separated, Brings Suit Against Clubman.

When the couple separated last January, Tyson remained at the beautiful family home at 9 Sea View avenue, Berkeley.

At that time she was known to her friends as Mrs. Robert Tyson. She says that she was provoked by her husband's conduct and that she was unable to live with him. She says that she was a millionaire's wife and that she was a clubwoman.

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FORUM CAFE IS NOT TO BE CLOSED

Its Management Strenuously Deny Any Rumor to That Effect.

Unfounded rumors have been circulated in Oakland in the past that the Forum cafe, 1115 Broadway, the premises of which are owned by the late William Carson of Berkeley, was to be closed for the reason that the cafe would be a nuisance to the city.

With this rumor in mind, Mr. Robert Kern, manager of this popular cafe, has issued a statement to the effect that the cafe was not to be closed and that the rumors were unfounded.

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Gov. Hiram Johnson

will dedicate and break ground for the California State Building, Thursday, May 7th. Take Key Route direct to Exposition grounds. Round trip fare 40c. Free admission to grounds. Phone Oakland 4127 for information.

EIGHT PERSONS KILLED IN MAGAZINE EXPLOSION AT PANAMA

DIGGS' VERSION HEARD FROM STAND

Former State Architect Testifies in Defense of Ida Pearing Charge.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Henry I. Diggs took the witness stand in Superior Judge Cabanis' court this afternoon and began his version of the episode in which 17-year-old Ida Pearing claims to have been attacked. The former state architect appeared dignified and ill at ease on the stand.

John J. Crawford, proprietor of the hostelry, George Williams, his manager, R. B. Kay, the night clerk, Arthur McCullough, the elevator, and Florian E. Fischer, the salesman, who has already testified for the prosecution, were called to the stand during the first hour's session.

McCullough, the bellboy, who also ran the elevator, was the most important of the witnesses. He it was who served Walter J. Gilligan, co-defendant with Diggs, and Ida Pearing with drinks. He remembered that Diggs had taken water, but could not recall what drinks Gilligan and Miss Pearing had imbibed.

"You did not see Diggs insert any mysterious powder into the liquor served her, did you?" asked Attorney Ed McKenzie, who was examining for the defense.

"No, sir, I did not," replied the witness.

McCullough also stated that the party remained in the rink room adjoining the bar for about 15 minutes, and were there throughout the entire time that he took the order for the drinks and served them. He could see them through the mirror over the bar.

Miss Pearing, he affirmed, was able to walk into the elevator, appeared perfectly sober and left the car with her male companions on the sixth floor. Mr. Gilligan's room was located. The latter, he said, was very much intoxicated.

Later Gilligan and Diggs were taken to the tenth floor to room 102, which had been assigned by Clerk Kay to Gilligan, who had registered for a friend, saying that he was going to give to his room and would need another one.

HIRED AS WITNESS

Karl Dresner Alleges Brother of Charles Becker Suborned Perjury.

NEW YORK, May 5.—Karl Dresner, who was an eyewitness to the trial of the four slayers of the gambler, Herman Rosenthal, in their effort to procure a new trial, gave out that he described as a confession yesterday in the Times, where he is awaiting trial on a charge of perjury as a result of his testimony on behalf of the gunmen.

In his confession made forty-eight hours before Charles Becker, the former police lieutenant, is placed on trial for the second time as the instigator of Rosenthal's murder, Dresner involved Becker's brother, John Becker, who is a police lieutenant and two attorneys, Charles Becker's trial will be held on Wednesday. Dresner told how, eight days before the gunmen were executed, he was approached to become a witness for them. He made an affidavit which he supported with testimony before the Supreme Court Justice Gott in effect exonerating the doomed men and implicating several underworld characters, witnesses for the state in Becker's first trial and who will probably testify again.

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DR. ADOLPH CASPAR MILLER, APPOINTED TO THE FEDERAL RESERVE BOARD FROM CALIFORNIA BY PRESIDENT WILSON.

Treaty Passes First Reading at Colombia

BOGOTA, Colombia, May 5.—The treaty between Colombia and the United States settling the long standing dispute over Panama, passed its first reading in the Colombian Senate today.

The Colombian-American Panama treaty was presented to the Colombian Congress May 3 for ratification. It was signed in April by representatives of the Colombian State Department and T. A. Thompson, the American minister at Bogota. The convention has not yet been sent to the Senate at Washington.

The treaty provides Colombia shall enjoy freely and in perpetuity free passage through the Panama canal for her troops and war ships and stipulates also that six months after the exchange of ratifications the sum of \$25,000,000 shall be paid to Colombia.

Sleuth Must Explain Parson's Affidavit

ATLANTA, May 5.—Dan C. Lehon, local representative of a national detective agency, was held here today under a \$1000 appearance bond to testify before the Fulton county grand jury in connection with the case of Leo M. Frank, under death sentence for the murder of Mary Phagan, a factory girl.

It was said Lehon's testimony was desired in connection with securing the affidavit of Rev. R. G. Ragsdale, which later was repudiated. The original Ragsdale affidavit asserted the minister had heard James Conley, a negro factory sweeper, confess that he had murdered Mary Phagan.

Hearing of the extraordinary motion for a new trial was resumed today.

REPUBLICANS WILL RALLY TONIGHT

Controller Prendergast and Attorney J. R. Scott to Be Speakers in S. F.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Republicans will gather in Scottish Rite hall tonight for one of the greatest rallies of the party that has ever been held in the state. It will be important in that it is the expectation of the leaders in the position of eminence which was threatened two years ago by the launching of a third party into the field. So great has been the influx of politicians from all parts of the state that together with the local aggregation which is expected, arrangements are being made for holding an overflow meeting.

William A. Prendergast, controller of New York City, one of the Progressive party founders and nominator of Roosevelt at the Chicago national convention two years ago, will have a message to deliver to the Republicans of California. Attorney Joseph R. Scott of Los Angeles, probable standard bearer for the office of governor, will also be a speaker, as will State Senator A. E. Boynton, who was formerly a Progressive.

SCOTT GREETED. Scott arrived in the city this morning and was met by members of the Young Republican League and escorted to his hotel. He was a guest at luncheon in the Commercial Club. Prendergast spoke informally at the luncheon, not touching upon politics. Both men are brilliant speakers. Scott is well known on both sides of the bay, where he has frequently appeared as speaker at public gatherings during the last two years.

Escorted by a delegation from the Republican State Central Committee, Controller Prendergast was taken on a sight-seeing tour of the city yesterday afternoon. He visited the exposition grounds and the city hall.

The exposition "should be the grandest of its kind the world has ever seen." He was amazed at the amount of work that has been done and the favorable showing that the fair will open on time.

DOG ATTACKS. That a dog, named when her child teased it, bit the youngster, was reported to the police last night by Mrs. J. Hoovey, 1223 Eighty-ninth avenue. The police shot the dog, which was owned by E. Herbst, a neighbor.

U. C. Professor Chosen as Economist of

BULLETIN.

BOSTON, May 5.—Richard Olney has addressed a letter to President Wilson formally declining the appointment as governor of the federal reserve board of the new banking system.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—After four months of waiting while President Wilson carefully sifted hundreds of names for the business and financial world today learned definitely that the following men had been chosen for the federal reserve board which will put into operation the nation's new currency system:

Richard Olney, of Boston, former secretary of state and attorney general of the United States under President Cleveland.

Paul M. Warburg of New York, member of Kuhn-Loeb & Co. and life-long student of foreign banking systems.

W. P. G. Harding, president of the First National Bank of Birmingham, Ala., and one of the leading bankers of the South.

Harry A. Wheeler, vice-president and director of the Union Trust Company of Chicago and until recently president of the United States chamber of commerce.

Dr. Adolph Caspar Miller, professor of finance at the University of California, and now assistant to Secretary Lane of the interior department; a political economist and writer on economics and finance.

EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS.

These men, together with the secretary of the treasury, William G. McAdoo, and the comptroller of the currency, John S. Williams, who are ex-officio members, have been selected to compose the federal reserve board.

White House officials declined to say when the nominations would be made, but the committee of the senate today further word from Mr. Olney as to his acceptance. It was feared by persons close to the White House that he would not accept on account of his advanced years.

Mr. Olney had been chosen for governor of the board and he is not known as yet who would substitute him.

The four other men, it is understood, have all accepted. While Mr. Wheeler is a banker, he has had an intimate connection with the industrial and commercial world. Mr. Warburg has made a life-long study of German and French banking methods and knows finance from a first-hand connection with the greatest financial centers of the United States. Mr. Harding is regarded by the President as an unusually able man of broad views and remarkable ability. He is looked upon as one of the leading bankers of the South.

Dr. Miller is a trained economist and a long a writer and student of finance.

This personnel follows the President's original idea of securing two bankers, Warburg and Harding; a political economist, Dr. Miller; and a lawyer and business-man, Richard Olney.

TROOPS ENTER REGION OF STRIKE STRIKE

Colonel of Eleventh Cavalry Studies Situation in the Mining District.

DENVER, May 5.—Colonel James Lockett, commanding the Eleventh Cavalry, arrived here today to take command of the federal forces in the Colorado strike fields. He went at once to army headquarters, where he conferred with Major W. A. Holbrook on the strike situation.

The first troops' train, carrying about 250 men, arrived shortly before 10 o'clock. The second train was close behind it, and was expected to reach Trinidad before noon. The Eleventh brought its horse and equipment and was ready to go into active service.

Colonel Lockett spent most of the forenoon in conference with Major Holbrook at the temporary headquarters at the City Hall. The new commander of the federal forces in the state said he would not decide upon a definite plan of action until he had been fully informed as to the situation.

Colonel Lockett said he was taking up the matter of distributing his forces throughout the strike district. His own headquarters he thought would be at Trinidad. The colonel had arranged to grant interviews during the day to strike leaders and other parties to the labor war.

STRIKERS REVERSE DECISION.

DENVER, May 5.—The question of disarmament of all factions in the Colorado coal strike zones today became the most important development of the industrial situation.

Reports had it that the strikers in Huerfano county had reversed their decision to deliver up their arms, and it was reported from Pueblo that strikers had succeeded in smuggling arms and ammunition through there to some unknown place.

The strike breakers in the northern coal fields, centering in Boulder county, yesterday openly declared they would work no longer if the mine guards were dismissed, unless the federal troops were stationed on mine property to protect them.

PROTECTION DEMANDED. The operators have taken the position that they will deliver their arms to the federal troops when their property is given protection. By some this was taken to mean that the operators will insist upon actual placing of soldiers on their property, though no representative operator would discuss that particular phase of the question.

In Trinidad Colonel James Lockett, commanding the Eleventh regiment, was expected to take charge of the situation. A part of the regiment was expected to arrive early today and augment the federal forces now in control of the southern coal fields under Major Holbrook.

The inquest over the battle at Forbes, April 27, was begun today. Coroner Spivey announced he would take the jury to the

American Tells of Horrible Treatment As Haytian Prisoner

NEW YORK, May 5.—After being confined in a foul dungeon, where he fought rats, and being marched at the point of the bayonet

Prince, Abdiah Sada, a Syrian-born American, was deported by the Haytian authorities.

This was the story he told when he arrived here yesterday. He is on his way to Washington to complain of his treatment to the state department. It was "for political reasons," Sada said, that he was excited after soldiers had thrust him into prison. A trial was refused him.

Sada said that all his possessions in Haiti, valued at \$15,000, were confiscated by the Haytian government on the theory that he was an accomplice in the slaying of President Leoncio. He was accused, he said, of complicity in the dynamiting of the national palace in Port-au-Prince in August, 1912, when the president and many soldiers were killed.

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LABOR. It was stated early today that the progressives of the session would attempt to block the enactment of a law providing for the creation and maintenance of state constabulary, but their strength was considered rather negligible, due to the coalition of Democrats and Republicans of both house and senate. Labor leaders struggled to have a speech read into the records of the house denouncing the state administration for its conduct during the strike, but all thought of possible impeachment proceedings against the governor apparently was abandoned today.

The impeachment matter never had taken shape in form, and was more of a rumor bandied about since the call for the special session was issued, rather than an articulated purpose.

LAWYERS ARE FRAMED.

Five administration measures to carry out the program in the governor's call for the extra session were ready for introduction when the Senate and House met today. The bills were drawn by Attorney General Fred Farrar.

The first would submit a constitutional amendment empowering the legislature to create a state board of arbitration to handle industrial disputes and providing punishment for refusal to abide by its decision. A bond issue to cover the state's military indebtedness of approximately \$1,000,000 is proposed in another bill providing that the bond issue be submitted to the people at the next general election. Other bills would give the governor authority to close saloons and prevent the sale, gift or purchase of firearms and ammunition in times of internal disorder. The fifth measure covers the proposal for the establishment of a state police force.

Cardinal Gibbons Sails For Vatican

NEW YORK, May 5.—The North German Lloyd liner Prinzess Irene sailed for Naples today with Cardinal Gibbons and a number of Bishops and Priests in his party. The cardinal goes to Rome to visit the Pope.

19 OTHERS SERIOUSLY HURT

Government Dynamite Plant Is Ignited by Brush Fire

Concussion Shakes City; Man and Wife Torn to Pieces

PANAMA, May 5.—An explosion this morning at the government of Panama dynamite magazine resulted in the killing of eight persons. Nineteen others were seriously injured. The property was destroyed.

The explosion was caused by a brush fire which made its way to the interior of the building. Six of the dead and most of the wounded are firemen.

A man and a woman who were watching the blaze from a distance were torn to pieces.

The concussion of the explosion shook Panama.

Nordica's Condition Slightly Improved

BATAVIA, Java, May 5.—Mina, Lilian Nordica, the operatic singer, who has been seriously ill here several weeks, showed slight improvement today.

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IS THE BIG NOISE IN Baseball WHY SHOULD THESE OAKS Be in Cellar SINCE THEY LEAD THE League in Hitting WITH CLUB AVERAGE OF .309?

Gallant and Watson Draw Attention to Coming Lightweight Card

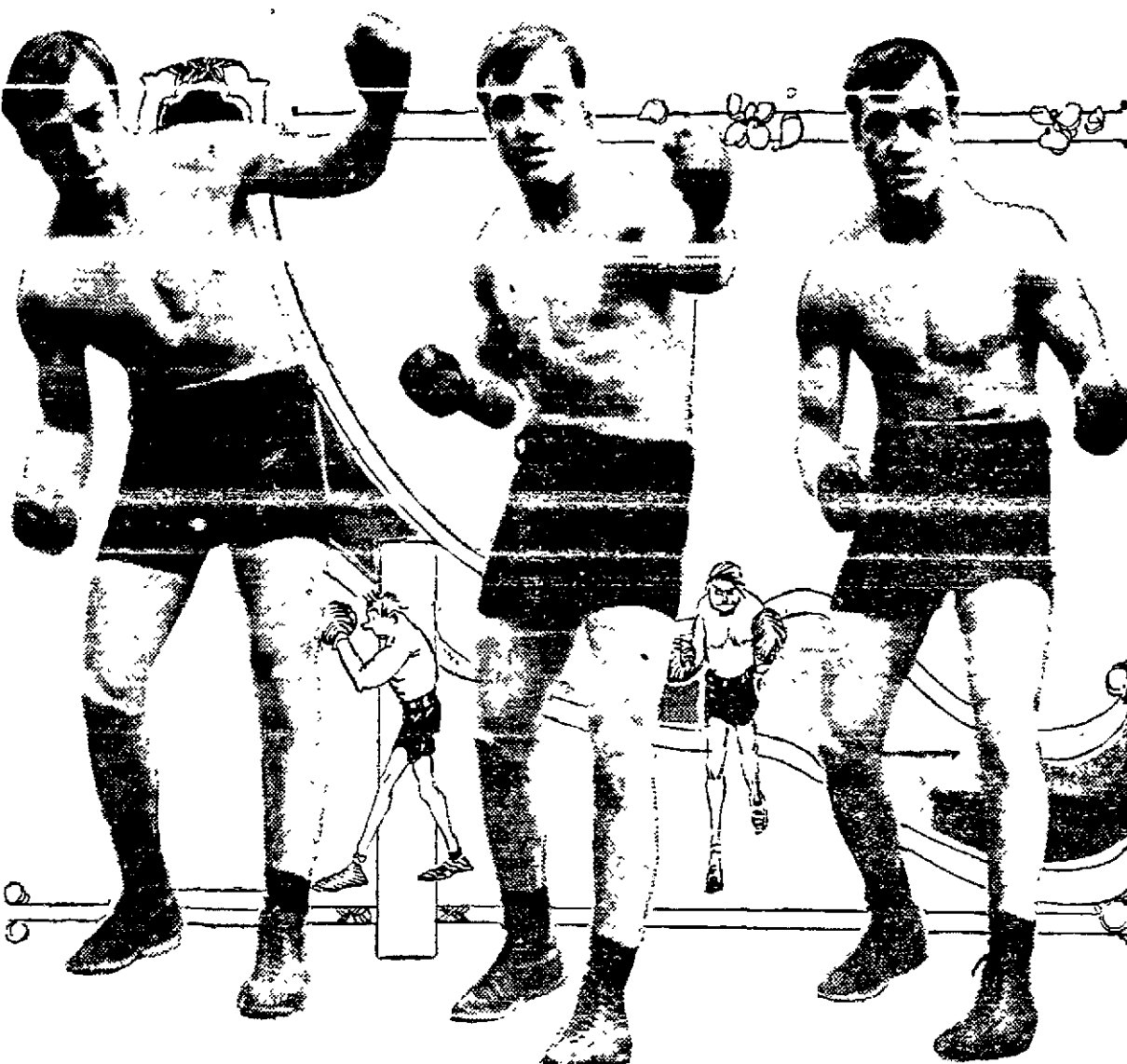
FITZSIMMONS OUT FOR FEATHER HONORS QUICKLY

Rohan's Youngster in Line for Good Matches if He Beats Vieira.

BETTING ODDS SLIGHTLY IN FAVOR OF RED WATSON

Gallant and "Red" Are Having No Trouble in Making 135-Pound Limit.

Characteristic fighting poses of the New Englander, Gilbert Gallant, the "biggest" small man among the lightweights. This is the youngster who will try to outslug "Red" Watson Friday evening in a twenty-round bout.



Billy Fitz Says, Says he:

In Mexico Tom Jones and Ad W. East proclaim that they are quarreling again. If they wanted to fight Saturday night they could get more space.

Noting that Hart Magget celebrated the arrival of a son yesterday by getting two hits, Mr. Klepper is no doubt congratulating himself that Hart wasn't made the daddy of twins.

We note by the standing of the clubs this morning that the Seals have the most success when they are not playing while Chapple (Barney) was driving a pair of dees in the smoking car.

Colin Bell, the Australian heavyweight, fought a nervous match with Joe Jeanette in London last night. The decision was given to Jeanette but the referee was liberalized by spectators who thought the Australian had at least an even break coming to him.

Oakland fans have at least one consolation this morning. The residents of St. Louis, Chicago and Greater New York, it is impossible for us to have three teams in the cellar.

Cheer up, Miller may be drafted next year.

Mr. Devlin, being in doubt what next to do, might issue an ultimatum.

The rumor that a certain song writer had Frank Leavitt in mind when he penned the immortal ditty, "Get Out and Get Under," is doubtless a mere pleasant.

Judging from all the valuable publicity on the affair, it is probable that Harry Foley a commission for naming him.

General Hooten is just as safe as a sitting duck on a man of snuff and smoking of cigars and pipes.

Oakland fans are lucky this week, and are the Seals' friends. After all, they have the Seals' friend, Bill Leard, Cack Hooten and Harry Magget.

Swing is a courageous man. He has beaten the Oaks to beat the Seals in their new century ball yard.

SIX BEST SELLERS.

- 1—"Rise and Fall of the Oak Empire," by John P. Cook.
- 2—"Chips That Pass in the Night," by Jake Meyer.
- 3—"The Higher Tip," by Elmer Benson.
- 4—"Twenty Years Ago," by Jerry Denham.
- 5—"Flash I Have Caught," by Jerry Denham.
- 6—"Admirable American," by Victoriana Huerta.

Kid Mohler is enjoying second childhood, which makes us strong, suspect that his third childhood will find him part of the Mac's \$100,000 infield.

Noting that Jimmy Rohan says he intends to watch Willie Fitzsimmons, who has never lost a fight, we are sure that he will be a good bet.

Every sporting writer in the country picked center field as the spot in the Seal line-up as weak as wet tissue paper, and here we have two Seal centerfielders who are leading the league, proving that as baseball experts we are fine little Irishmen.

"The Charge of the Light Brigade" was a heroic feat, but then consider the case of the California crew which is going 500 miles for the privilege of being beaten.

Amongst the funny freaks who freckle the face of the Seals are really serious this year.

Jack Neville has lost the Northern California gold championship and left Oakland on its back.

Did not ever notice that when the Oaks are not beating the Seals the Wolves are walloping the Oaks?

Willie Hoppe, the billiard baron, having run out of opponents, is in a devil of a fix.

Seriously speaking, though, the Oaks have never lost a game in Oakland in two years. Seals are silent on the subject of Emeryville.

The latest Los Angeles product—Carroll Trabbie.

They call the Claremont Club now the Land of the Tees.

Battling Levinsky will have nothing on Willie Fitzsimmons during the next three weeks. Three four round, one six round and one ten round bouts will be his program for this month.

His first go is for rounds in Daly City with Harry Wade, a much touted featherweight from the east. Next Willie will meet Jack Bratton in the semi-winning for six rounds in Stockton. Both before and after his ten round bout with Manuel Vieira, which is scheduled for the next Wheelmen's night, Fitzsimmons will make any weight under the lightweight limit.

According to Frank Purcell, manager of Jimmy Rohan, the Seattle scrapper who took the masters out of mysterious Mason, his boy will no longer attempt to make any weight under the lightweight limit. In other words Johnny now considers himself a full fledged lightweight.

O'Leary has been in the ring for the last year that he finds that it saps his vitality to make weight for the featherweights.

Purcell says Johnny will get plenty of work as a lightweight, for he is wanted in Butte, Salt Lake City, Denver, Milwaukee and in other places.

When "Musky" Kronick, the "Millionaire" tangle at the Wheelmen's show on the 18th, the boys' heads considerable entertainment for the fans.

Everyone knows "Musky" and everyone who knows him admires his work. He is a real worker that ever guards the Oakland baseball training quarters and that will see for him in preparation for his debut in the prize ring.

George Mason will leave for Stockton today where he will go ten rounds with Herb White on the 18th. George's hand is still slightly swollen but he expects to be in good condition for his bout.

Kid Nabarro and Tony Prieta will also decorate the ring at the next Wheelmen's club show. These boys are both good ones and should do some fast mixing.

QUINLAN LEADING ROXY, BUT WICHITA BOY IS CLIMBING

Alexander and Mitze Still Cling to Best Marks for Oakland.

Fitzgerald of San Francisco, with 339, Elliott of Venice, with 335, and Tobin of San Francisco, with 334 are the leaders of the clubbing department. The Seals have eight men hitting 300 or better, but two of them are pitchers.

Alexander and Mitze still lead the Oaks. Roxy Middleton is steadily climbing up to the 300 mark and is now batting .295.

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Diamond Flashes

By L. B. GROSS.

GAMES TODAY.
At San Francisco—Venice vs. Oakland.
At Sacramento—San Francisco vs. Sacramento.
At Los Angeles—No game. P. and team traveling.

Sacramento and Oakland were the only two teams that improved their club batting last week and Oakland now leads the league, with an average of .309. How this can be done with the Oaks' 11th place in the clubbing department.

The clubs' batting averages are:
Oakland, .309
San Francisco, .302
Venice, .292
Portland, .281
Sacramento, .275
Los Angeles, .273

Competitors are being appointed to arrange for the amateur baseball lunch at the Palace Hotel, San Francisco, to celebrate the opening of Ewing Field, the handsome new baseball field across the bay.

The players of the San Francisco and Oakland teams will be the guests of honor, while several hundred of San Francisco fans will be invited to the luncheon.

Los Angeles and Venice played out one of the two postponed games of last week in the south yesterday, the 7-2 victory down to defeat, which boosted the Seals back into first place. With Venice up against the Oaks this week, and the Seals playing the rejuvenated castles on the Sacramento River, there should be some race for first place honors this week.

According to U. Gene Devlin, press agent for the Venice Tigers, there will be some class to the Tigers next year if they win the pennant this season. Devlin says that if the Tigers capture the race, which will be printed in gold letters "Venice Tigers—Pennant Winners—Coast League—1934."

A dispute from Jim Scott, white Sox pitcher, has been resolved in which Jim complains bitterly of the fact that he has been overworked so early in the season. Scott says that Calhoun seems intent on winning the pennant during the early part of the season, but since the letter was written the plot of the Sox has been followed.

Scott intimates that he, Coote and Benz have been considerably overworked to date.

While the Tigers have shown the best form this season it is too early to forecast a pennant winner. It being possible for many things to happen to any of the clubs in the five months or more yet to play.

The southern papers feel confident that the pennant will land in the south this season, while the northern delegations are equally as sure of the race, but with the San Francisco and Oakland teams representing the bay district, not to mention Sacramento, the result is very much in doubt.

Ten leading base-runners: Schmidt, San Francisco, 11; Young, Sacramento, 8; Schaller, San Francisco, 8; Leard, Venice, 8; Rodgers, Portland, 7; Magget, Los Angeles, 6; Coote, Venice, 6; Fisher, Portland, 6; Quinn, Venice, 6; Leard, Venice, 6; Schaller, San Francisco, 6; Magget, Los Angeles, 6; Rodgers, Portland, 6; Coote, Venice, 6; Fisher, Portland, 6; Quinn, Venice, 6.

After giving Flecharty, the new Venice pitcher, have placed their O. K. on the pitcher.

One of Flecharty's chief assets is an unclassified curve which looks harmless but is far from it. The better takes a swing at it, thinking it a balloon, but is surprised to have it drop from his vision, and cross the plate on a level with his knees.

We will most likely see "Doc" White in action on two occasions against the Oaks this week, but if he proves as generous as he was in Los Angeles last Sunday afternoon, we should have little trouble.

This afternoon's game between the Oaks and Tigers will mark the start of the first series between these two teams this season, and judging by the way the Tigers have been getting away with one series after another, Devlin and his players will have to show a reversal of this week's series.

While the Happy Hognider, and the Downcast Devilites are after each other's scalp.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

At Los Angeles—Los Angeles 6, Venice 4.
At Los Angeles—Los Angeles 4, Venice 1.
(Only one game scheduled.)

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

CLUB	W	L	P	CT	AVG	PERCENT
San Francisco	3	0	6	3	276	12.825
Venice	3	4	3	6	19	612
Sacramento	3	9	1	12	5	487
Los Angeles	4	1	4	1	0	514
Portland	4	4	3	9	2	115
Oakland	0	4	5	1	2	1219
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REAMS AND LEONARD ARE RELEASED

A collegiate section of the Portland Oaks when it slipped infielder "Babe" Reams and pitcher Leonard. Leonard, who was in the line-up, was released by the Oaks. Reams, who was in the line-up, was released by the Oaks. Leonard, who was in the line-up, was released by the Oaks. Reams, who was in the line-up, was released by the Oaks.

DAVIS INVITATIONAL LIST ISSUED

NEW YORK, May 5.—Invitations to

the Davis Invitational tennis tournament were sent out today by the cup committee.

This is the first step looking to the playing of the international tennis championship.

Those invited contain not only the ranking first ten players, but the class A men and a list of players who were not ranked in the 1913 list of players.

Naturally the list is headed by Maurice E. McLoughlin, last year's winner and T. C. Bundy, his partner in the doubles championship.

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 Los Angeles, San Diego, Portland.

CHICAGO, May 5.—Following were the closing prices:				
Option—	WHEAT—	PER BUSHEL.		
	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	84	84	83 3/4	84
July	85 1/4	85 1/4	85 1/8	85 1/4
September	85 3/4	85 3/4	85 1/2	85 3/4
CORN—PER BUSHEL.				
	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/4	63 1/2
July	64 1/4	64 1/4	64 1/8	64 1/4
September	64 3/4	64 3/4	64 1/2	64 3/4

Sept. 1st	10.54	10.54	10.54	10.54
Sept. 10th	10.54	10.54	10.54	10.54
OATS - PER HUSHEL				
May	37.74	37.74	37.74	37.74
September	37.74	37.74	37.74	37.74
POKE - PER BARREL				
May	19.52	19.52	19.52	19.52
July	19.52	19.52	19.52	19.52
September	19.52	19.52	19.52	19.52
LARD - PER 100 LBS				
July	10.67	10.61	10.67	10.67
September	10.67	10.61	10.67	10.67
SHORT RIBS - PER 100 LBS				
May	11.25	11.25	11.25	11.25
September	11.25	11.25	11.25	11.25

SAN FRANCISCO GRAIN MARKED

SAN FRANCISCO, May 8.—Wheat—Weak;
 Barley—Weak; December, \$1.04; May, 8
 spot. Slight bid.

MARRIAGE, BIRTH AND DEATH NOTICES

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses have been issued:

BILL McGRANAGHAN—Harry C. Bell, 27, of
Anna McGranaghan, 24, both of San Fran-
cisco.

CLARE HEYWOOD—Eugene J. Clark, 21, of
Helen H. Heywood, both of Berkeley.

DEMING HEATH—John H. Deming, 31, of
land, and Irene D. Heath, 19, of Lake
Hawick.

HARRISON HAWKINS—O. H. H. H. H.
Harrison H. Hawkins, 21, of Oakland.

HARSEN JENSEN—Chris J. Hansen, 25, of
Helen H. Jensen, both of Oakland.

JAMES MELANDER—James M. James, 25, of
M. Melander, 24, both of Oakland.

MCCOY MELANDER—M. McCoy, 24, of
M. McCoy, 24, both of Oakland.

PATTEN BURE—Charles M. Patten, 25, of
Patten Bure, 25, both of Oakland.

RACKARD CROCKET—Rackard C. Crockett, 25, of
Rackard C. Crockett, 25, both of Oakland.

SCHULTZ-FRIES—Charles L. Schultz, 25, of
Schultz-Fries, 25, both of Oakland.

WILSON WEBSTER—Frank H. Wilson, 25, of
Webster, and Irene Webster, 25, both of Oakland.

WINKLER WEBSTER—Frank H. Winkler, 25, of
Winkler, 25, both of Oakland.

WILLIAMS WEBSTER—Frank H. Williams, 25, of
Williams, 25, both of Oakland.

DIVORCES FILED.

CAMPY—Franklin against Tony Campy;
 legal cruelty.

DALY—Taliaha against J. R. Daly; sile
 petition.

TSION—Celestia C. against Robert J. Ty
 alleged cruelty.

UTERBA—Grace E. against George R.
 alleged cruelty.

WEINER—JOSEPH against Minnie Weiner;
 legal cruelty.

DIVORCES GRANTED.

REIZZ—Benjamin J. from Elizabeth P. Re
 after sentence of divorce.

THOMPSON—Dora L. from R. R. Thompson
 interlocutory cruelty.

SUIT FOR ANNULMENT.

SMITH—Eveline Oliver Smith against Frederick A. Smith, to annul marriage.

DEATHS.

BRIDGE—In this city, May 7, 1914, Thomas George Bridge, aged 66 years, brother of Mrs. Hannah Brown of Oakland. Mrs. J. Edwards of Berkeley, Mrs. Richard Wellington and Henry Bridge of England, a

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services Thursday May 7, 1914, at 2 o'clock p.m. from the parlors of Grant B. Miller, 2382 E. East Fourth street, corner of Tenth street, Chicago, Ill., where the body will lie in state.

FLANAGAN, Mrs. J. K.

4. Mrs. J. K. Miller, wife of John Flanagan, mother of Katherine and Eva Flanagan, and Elizabeth Nevin, sister of Mrs. J. C. Nevin, Mrs. B. H. Nevin, Mrs. P. C. Nevin and Mrs. J. C. Nevin, a native of Ireland, aged 60 years, died at her home, 1014 W. 10th street, Chicago, Ill., on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock from home to St. Raymond's church, Dublin, with a requiem mass will be celebrated for

repose of his soul. Internment St. Raymond's
 cemetery, Dublin.
HOUM—In this city, May 4, 1914, Anna, wife
 of Joseph H. Houm, of F. Houm, Iowa, mother of
 John and Ruth Houm, a native of Germany,
 aged 62 years.
 Friends and acquaintances are respectfully
 invited to attend the funeral Tuesday, May
 5, 1914, at 2 o'clock p. m., from the residence
 of Mrs. J. H. Houm, 575 North
 Oak, between Grove and Castro, Indianapolis.
 Burial in the cemetery.
MITCHELL—In this city, May 5, 1914, William
 J., dearly beloved husband of Esther Mitchell,
 late living son of Mrs. Margaret A. Pomeroy
 and Charles Mitchell, of New York, New York,
 Charles Mitchell, Jr., a native of New York,
 aged 40 years, 4 months and 17 days.
 Friends and acquaintances are respectfully

invited to attend the funeral services Thursday, May 7, 1914, at 2 o'clock p. m., in the Danish Baptist church, corner of Twelfth and Fourteenth streets, East Oakland. Interment, Evergreen cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our heartfelt thanks to the many friends for their kind sympathies and expressions of regret in the time of our bereavement, the death of our mother.

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OAKLAND OPERA CLUB ORGANIZED

Is Designed to Foster Grand
Opera in City and Aid
Young Singers.

The Oakland Opera Club, an organiza-
tion designed to foster the opera in Oak-
land, was formed last night at the Key
Route Inn. Maurice R. Michaels, of Sher-
man, Clay and Company, was chosen as
president, while Walter L. Gough, a vi-
olinist of Oakland, was made vice-presi-
dent. Harry Parrish was elected secre-
tary and treasurer. A committee to draw
up a simple constitution and by-laws will
be appointed at the next meeting of the
club which is left to the discretion of the
president.

An entertainment committee, to con-
sider concerts and the introduction of
new singers in Oakland and of young
vocalists living in the vicinity of Oak-
land who have not had the opportunity to
make a public appearance, was appointed.
Lloyd Taylor heads the committee and
has for his assistants H. L. Pierson, H.
T. Eddo, Mrs. Maurice M. Michaels and
Mrs. C. N. Jones.

Ralph Errolle, leading tenor of the Chi-
cago Grand Opera Company, at present
spending the summer at the Key Route
Inn, has volunteered his services to aid
the club in any possible manner and it
is likely that the musical direction of the
new organization, for the summer months
at least, will be placed in Errolle's hands.
The purpose of the club as formed is to
foster grand opera in this city and aid
the club in giving young singers an
opportunity to be heard. It is planned,
at present, to hold several summer con-
certs and to outline an extensive cam-
paign for the winter months. Young
singers will be heard and voices tried out
at set dates. If any voices of promise
are discovered the club, when fully or-
ganized, plans to lend its support to fur-
thering the musical education of the as-
pirant. In case any voices of exceptional
quality are discovered, Errolle has prom-
ised to give the club the use of his in-
fluence with the head of the Chicago
Grand Opera Company in the interests of
the find.

UTAH SOCIETY TO MEET.
The new Utah society, recently or-
ganized in this city, will hold a busi-
ness meeting tomorrow night at the
Chamber of Commerce building. The
purpose will be to outline the con-
duct of the future affairs of the as-
sociation.

WILL ASK FOR GENERAL COURTMARTIAL SESSION

DENVER, May 5.—Announcement
was made yesterday that General
John Chase shortly would ask the
governor for authority to convene a
general courtmartial to try cases in
line with the findings of the military
commission which investigated the
Ludlow battle and fire.
When informed of the intention of
General Chase the governor stated
that he would comply with the re-
quest.
It seemed probable, however, that
the military commission would be
pending in the civil courts for law
violation incident to the strike, would
not be brought to trial until the pub-
lic mind relaxed from the intense excite-
ment of the last two weeks.

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NOTED WOMAN AS LUNCHEON GUEST

Officials of Exposition Mission
Congress to Greet World
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Under the auspices of the Woman's
Congress of Missions of the Panama-Pa-
cific Exposition, Mrs. William Barrett
Montgomery, president of the National
Women's Missionary Society and of the
Woman's Educational and Industrial
Union of New York, will be the guest
of honor at luncheon Thursday, at 1 o'clock
in the Fairmont Hotel, San Francisco.

About 700 representative women of Ala-
meda county and San Francisco, will join
in welcoming the distinguished visitor.
After a tour of the world, she will arrive
in San Francisco tomorrow evening and
will be escorted to the Fairmont hotel by
officials of the committee of 100 women.
The officials are Mrs. Paul Raymond of
San Francisco, honorary chairman; Mrs.
E. C. Denniston, chairman; Mrs. George
E. Smith of Berkeley, first vice-chair-
man; Mrs. E. A. Evans, of Mill Valley,
second vice-chairman; Mrs. J. H. C.
Rohlfis, of Berkeley, recording secretary;
Mrs. L. D. Graham of San Francisco and
Mrs. H. H. Bell.

Oakland will welcome Mrs. Helen Bar-
rett Montgomery Thursday evening, when
she will deliver an address in the First
Baptist church, Jones and Telegraph ave-
nue.

ELIMINATES 'O' IN 'PHONE 'HELLO!'

Industrious Window Cleaner
and Indignant Booth User
Cross Wires.

"Hello!" shouted Charles Patterson,
a public telephone booth user, in the
middle of a public telephone booth at
Twelfth street and Broadway, "Central"
voice was drowned out by a sharp "Ra-
-Ta-Ta" on the glass window of the
booth, and he couldn't hear "Central"
when she asked him whether it was
Oakland 5254, Oakland 2383 or Oakland
2448 that he wanted. Wherefore Charles
Patterson was wroth.

Emerging from the booth he in-
formed John Molinari, window cleaner,
that he could only telephone in silence.
Bystanders declare that he exhibited a
dist as another reason why Molinari
should confine his attentions to another
window.

Molinari was busy. He didn't want
to be delayed, and therefore, also ac-
cording to the witnesses mentioned, a
warmer climate than Oakland, where he
recommended Patterson's immediate im-
migration.

As a result a crowd gathered while the
two men engaged in a fight which was
interrupted when the police interfered.
Both men were booked at the police sta-
tion on a charge of disturbing the peace.
"Central" not hearing a number
called, returned the nickel. A newsboy
found it in the telephone booth and ap-
propriated it. The men were released
from the police court. Patterson didn't
get his number.

**ARRESTED ON CHARGE
OF OAKLAND BURGLARY**

Richard Thompson, wanted on a charge
of burglary was arrested last night by
Detectives Green and Gallagher and is
being held on a charge of entering the
home of Mrs. Laura Vargas, 285 Wood
street. The home was entered several
weeks ago, \$5 in coin and jewelry being
removed. The suspect was arrested in
San Francisco and brought to Oakland
for examination.



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PHANTOM RAILWAY PROMOTER IS SUED

Albany Town Would Have His
Bond Forfeited With
Franchise.

Visions of a street car line which was
to be built within two or three years
haunted the good people of Albany, the
little municipality near Alameda county's
northern border. Four years ago they
gave up a franchise over their streets,
voluntarily documents were drawn up and
E. A. Gow, the promoter substantiated his
proposal to build the line by depositing
with the city treasurer his bond for
\$5000.

Because they did not get the street
car line, the citizens of Albany are de-
termined to collect on the bond. Suit was
filed in the Superior Court today against
the United States Fidelity and Guaranty
Company to revoke the franchise and for
judgment in the amount of \$5000 with
interest since August, 1912.

By the terms of the franchise, which
was granted in April, 1910, E. A. Gow
was to construct a single track line
from the county line at San Pablo ave-
nue, south for 31 feet, thence westward
over a private right of way to the north
end of Adams street, south on Adams
street to Main street. Construction on
the line was to have commenced within
three months after granting of the fran-
chise and the road was to be com-
pleted not later than three years from that date.

The complaint in the case is that the
not completed, plaintiff assuming the at-
titude that the bond in the proceeding
should therefore be forfeited.

WOMAN FAILS IN DEAL; LAWSUIT IS RESULT

Refusal on the part of Mrs. Carrie
L. Mitchell to close a deal whereby
she was to exchange property at
Twelfth and Myrtle streets for fifteen
United Properties Company bond cer-
tificates is the cause of a suit being
tried before Superior Judge T. W.
Harris with C. F. Gross as plaintiff.
Gross alleges that after the affairs
of the Properties Company became
involved Mrs. Mitchell backed down
on the proposed trade. He asks that
she be forced to carry it through.

MAKES CHARGE AGAINST SEWING MACHINE AGENT

Ward Darling, a sewing-machine sales-
man, was arrested this morning on a
statutory charge, preferred by Mrs.
Henrietta Swift, 205 Adeline street. The
woman declares that the man called at
her home yesterday to collect on a ma-
chine, and while there attacked her. Her
husband, returning, called the police,
captain of Inspectors Lou Agnew and
Detective E. W. Wainman made the arrest.
The man is being held for investigation.

CHINESE LABORER FOUND DEAD IN ROOM

Gan Foo, a laborer, living at 319 Sixth
street, was found dead in his bed this
morning when his wife, arising to call
him to breakfast, discovered his body.
The man's death is believed due to heart
failure. The body was removed to the
mortuary and an inquest held. The dead
man is survived by a wife and several
relatives in China.

LONELY WOMAN MAKES ATTEMPT AT SUICIDE

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Distressed
and lonely by reason of the absence of
her husband who had gone to Peruama
in search of employment, Mrs. Jean
Vaughn, a young woman of 25, attempted
suicide at her apartment, 344 Jones street,
at 7 o'clock this morning. Mrs. Vaughn
swallowed a mixture of permanganate of
potash and wood alcohol. She was dis-
covered almost immediately and removed
to the Central Emergency Hospital.
During the run in the ambulance, Stew-
ard Brokowski administered an antidote
and thus her life was saved.

DANCE OF EAGLES TO BE A BIG ATTRACTION

RICHMOND, May 5.—The Eagles'
dance at Maple hall in San Pablo on the
evening of May 6 is scheduled among the
joy lovers as an event worthy of notice
and something to be looked forward to
with pleasure.
That the hall will be packed on that
evening seems assured, as the commit-
tee has spared no expense in giving pub-
licity to the affair and in taking those
steps which will assure a very successful
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